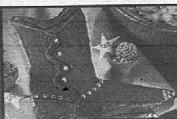


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City taking to airwaves to showcase its attributes

By Bob Slate
 Staff writer

Granite City officials are taking the airwaves in an attempt to showcase the city as a good place to live, work and attend school.

"There are a lot of misunderstandings about Granite City — who we are and where we are," said Mayor Ron Selph. "A lot of people don't realize the convenience of Granite City with regard to downtown St. Louis, that we can actually see the Arch from here."

"And a lot of people think we're a destitute, blue collar community and we know that's not true," Selph said, noting that the city's population has increased about 2 percent since the 1990 census.

By accentuating the positive on television, Selph said, the city can get its message out to potential home buyers and businesses that might not otherwise consider Granite City as a destination.

Bob Page, chairman of the City Council's Economic Development Committee, said the city must take an aggressive approach to attracting business and residents in today's competitive environment.

"We could sit back and watch development pass us by for communities on the bluffs to the east and St. Charles and Chesterfield to the west. Or we could

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— Mayor Ron Selph

do something about it and help the city's chances of growing and prospering," Page said.

"I think we're doing the right thing," television cameras from KSDK-TV Channel 5 were in town Thursday to shoot footage of various Granite City locations for future commercials promoting the city.

Among the institutions featured are Granite City schools, Wilson Park and other parks, residential neighborhoods, new as well as established — the Legacy Golf Course and residential development, City Hall and the township building, and

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Madison, Venice might suffer from trash plan

By Bob Slate
 Staff writer

A proposed Madison County ordinance mandating volume-based garbage collection fees would be especially rough on Madison and Venice — two of only four municipalities in the county that still provide residential trash service to residents using city staffs.

But the fairness of a volume-based garbage collection fee was driven home to Madison officials — reluctantly and perhaps inadvertently — last week as they considered and then rejected a proposal to go into the commercial trash business.

Joe Parente, administrator of the Madison County Building, Zoning and Environmental Department, was on hand at the Madison City Council meeting to discuss a proposed county ordinance.

The county ordinance would require municipalities to pay garbage collection fees based on the volume of trash generated.

Whether or not those fees are passed along to residents would be up to city leaders, Parente said.

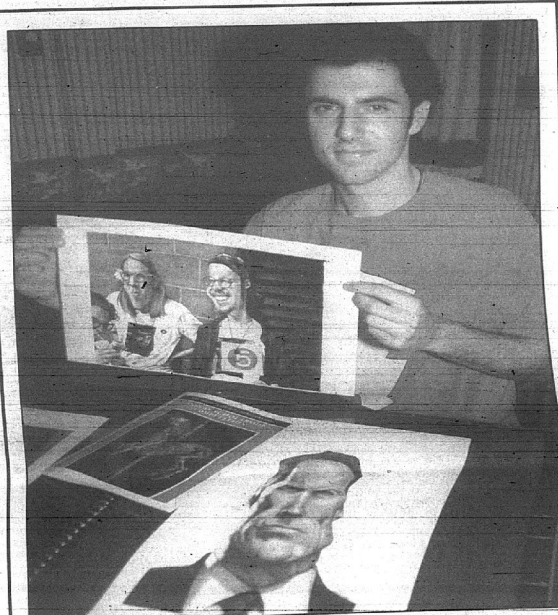
Madison has free dumping privileges until the year 2000, allowing the city to provide a cost-effective garbage service to residents. The city charges \$9 per month per home to pay for the city-run service.

"I can see where it is difficult to justify (volume-based fees) because your costs are so low. There's no doubt about it," Parente said.

The proposed Madison County ordinance is in response to the state's 1988 Solid Waste Act. The state law requires a 15 percent reduction of solid wastes in county landfills by May 1 this year and reduction by an additional 10 percent by 1996.

Parente said Madison County failed by about 4 percent to meet the May 1 deadline.

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(Staff photo by PAM DOERF-HURD)
 Steve Willaredt at his home here. He is holding an illustration of his friends (standing outside the Kansas City Art Institute) that won him a Society of Illustrators award recently.

No starving artist

Local man getting recognition

By Bob Slate
 Staff writer

Steve Willaredt can't remember a time he didn't want to draw.

"As soon as I could pick up a pencil, I started drawing," Willaredt recalled.

Now, at age 22, Willaredt finds his work hanging on the walls of his Saturday Night Live television studio in New York City, being reviewed by the

likes of SNL producer Lorne Michaels and past and present stars Chevy Chase, Dan Ackroyd, Dennis Miller and Dana Carvey.

Willaredt, a Granite City native and the son of city Police Lt. Steve and Susan Willaredt, now works for Hallmark in Kansas City.

He was hand-picked by Hallmark and SNL executives to illustrate a line of

(See ARTIST, Page 8A)

County jail may get tax help

One area lawmaker is scheming to help a Madison County Jail expansion bill break out of legislative gridlock.

A bill that would enable Madison County officials to use the proceeds from a 1.74-cent jail construction tax to renovate and expand the county jail in Edwardsville has fallen victim to partisan bickering in the Statehouse.

"All our bills are dead," said state Rep. Jay Hoffman, a Collinsville Democrat, referring to a recent decision by Senate Republican majority leaders to ignore all bills passed out of the House after mid-May.

Hoffman's bill would have changed the law governing use of special jail construction taxes and allowed county officials to go ahead with plans to increase capacity at the overcrowded facility from 78 to 240.

Hoffman said Wednesday he would amend a noncontroversial approved by the Senate to include the jail expansion provision.

"I don't know of any major opposition to (the jail expansion proposal). If this was a normal year, it would be no problem, but nothing is moving now. Everything is at a standstill," Hoffman said from the floor of the House.

The jail tax was first levied in 1979 to build the existing \$4 million facility on Randle Street in Edwardsville. The tax is scheduled to drop off property owners' tax bills next year when bonds issued to finance the jail construction are paid off.

County officials had planned to extend the tax and use the proceeds to expand and upgrade the facility, which is frequently overcrowded and has persistent problems with roof leaks.

But in February, county officials learned that state law prohibits the type of construction they had in mind.

Under the existing law, counties with fewer than 50,000 residents are not allowed to use jail construction taxes for anything other than new construction.

Madison County has a population of 240,000.

Hoffman's bill, filed at the request of Madison County officials, would have added renovations to the allowed uses of the tax proceeds.

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(Staff photo by BOB SLATE)
 Shaun Hoppe from Marshall Elementary School prepares to let it fly in the softball throw during Sports Day at Maryville School.

Everyone wins at annual district-wide Sports Day

By Bob Slate
 Staff writer

More than 450 Granite City grade school children competed in the annual district-wide "Sports Day," held at Maryville Elementary School.

Girls competed May 16. The boys competition was held the following day.

"This is probably the single most honored event that kids remember in elementary school," said Mitchell School physical education teacher Chabbe Briggs, who organized the event this year.

"I know adults who still prize the ribbons they won at Sports Day."

"Sports Day" is a tradition in Granite City schools. It is an opportunity for elementary-age children to compete

against children from each of the other eight district elementary schools for ribbons and prestige.

"It really is great at building self-esteem," Briggs said.

"And good physical fitness plus healthy self-esteem translates into better academic performance in the classroom," Briggs said.

At the start of the school year, students in each of the elementary schools are divided into three groups, based on height, weight and age.

They then participate in six different events, working most of the year to improve their scores in the high jump, long jump, softball throw, 50-yard dash, shuttle run and 400-meter run, Briggs said.

(See SPORTS, Page 9A)

Golf cards to aid lung research

The American Lung Association is offering the Golf Privilege Card. For \$80, the card offers 18 holes of golf at any of 140 courses, including Belk Park, Locust Hills, Oak Brook and Legacy.

To purchase a card, call (800) 788-5864 or stop by Ravanelli's Restaurant in Granite City.

Stop-smoking program slated

Persons who are serious about quitting cigarette smoking can take the first step by becoming involved with the Habit Control Program.

Habit Control is an intensive, comprehensive eight-week program that addresses the psychological and social component necessary to develop a smoke-free lifestyle.

An informational orientation will be held at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, June 2, at the Wellness Center, 2103 Iowa St.

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Good will games —

Spartan Rotterdam, an under-12 boys select soccer team from the Netherlands, recently visited the Granite City area. The team includes boys from Italy and Africa as well as Dutch players. While the boys played a number of St. Louis area teams, Coach Wout Van Driel said athletic competition was not the primary purpose for the trip to the United States. The boys and their parents stayed with local families and visited a number of cultural and historical sites. At right, Mayor Ron Selph, right, presented Coach Wout with an American flag previously flown over the Capitol in Washington, D.C., an Illinois state flag, a Granite City flag, and the key to the city. Above, Coach Wout and the team then visited Mayor Selph in the Granite City Council chambers.

**Assistant state's attorney joining law firm**

By Scott Wuerz
Staff writer

The Madison County State's Attorneys office will lose leadership and experience, officials said, with the resignation of one of its top prosecutors.

Assistant State's Attorney K. Todd Taplin, of Edwardsville, announced his resignation last week to enter private practice in Fairview Heights. Today is his last day on the job.

Taplin, 30, joined the office in December 1988, less than a month after State's Attorney Bill Haine was elected to the office.

After more than five years on the job, however, Taplin said he is ready for a change.

"The people in the State's Attorney's Office have been very good to me," Taplin said. "But I've been here long enough. I've

gained a lot of important experience, and now I want to explore some other areas of the law."

The change could not be more radical for Taplin. After prosecuting criminal, traffic and driving under the influence cases, he will begin his career as a defense attorney with the law firms of Goldberg, Katz and Croft and The Traffic Law Center Thursday.

"It will be different, that's for sure," Taplin said. "But I think serving as a prosecutor will give me some valuable knowledge. I'll be able to look at a case with a realistic idea of how a prosecutor will try to resolve it. My experience will be very valuable to me."

State's Attorney's Office spokesman Mark Von Nida said Taplin will be greatly missed. "I know (Taplin) will do well in private practice because he is quite a law scholar," Von Nida said. "He has an exceptional skill

for researching legal points."

Von Nida said Taplin was also instrumental in bringing the State's Attorney's Office DUI prosecution record up to par.

"In 1988 (Taplin) took over the office's DUI department, and we were way behind other counties in the state (in prosecution rates of alleged drunken drivers)," Von Nida said. "Now we are above the state average, according to Secretary of State statistics a 20 percent increase, which is truly remarkable."

In addition, to his work in the DUI department, Taplin prosecuted traffic, felony, misdemeanor, criminal and drug cases while with the State's Attorney's Office, Von Nida said.

Taplin is a 1988 graduate from IIT Chicago-Kent College of Law.

Humane Society, sheriff agree on animal abuse plan

Dog and cat lovers now have a new partner in the fight against animal abuse and neglect — the Madison County Sheriff's Department.

Nearly five months after Madison County Humane Society officials and Sheriff Bob Churchich sparred over a cat found tortured to death near Collinsville, the former adversaries have come to an agreement that spells out responsibilities for investigating animal abuse and neglect cases.

"The Sheriff's Department will investigate animal abuse complaints as diligently as they would any crime and will utilize all the resources necessary depending on the severity of the case," according to a joint statement signed by Churchich, Humane Society representative Ledy Vankavage and Madison County Animal Control Administrator Dr. David Hall.

In addition, the statement says reports of animal abuse that turn out to be non-emergencies will be forwarded to the Animal Control Office for further investigation.

In early January, a cat was found tortured to death along a road near Collinsville.

Humane Society supporters set up a reward fund, which eventually totaled \$2,700, for information regarding the case, but no one was ever arrested or charged.

But Churchich angered some Humane Society activists when he said it was a shame violent crimes against people hadn't received the same amount of attention as the slain cat.

The sheriff's comments drew accusations of insensitivity from some Humane Society leaders and gave Churchich's opponent in the March Democratic

"Sheriff Churchich was great in coming forward and saying he would handle these sorts of investigations. Before, it wasn't really spelled out who would handle what so it was just a flip of the coin."

— Dr. David Hall

primary some political ammunition.

Former Granite City police chief Don Knight, who lost to Churchich in the primary, vowed to be a sheriff for people and their pets.

"I really think the offenders (in the cat case) could have been caught if people had known where to call and who was handling the investigation," Vankavage said. Sheriff's Department Sgt. Charles Zukas "did one heck of a job but unfortunately the investigation was hampered by a lack of policy regarding these sorts of incidents."

Churchich could not be reached for comment. Hall, the animal control administrator, said, "Sheriff Churchich was great in coming forward and saying he would handle these sorts of investigations. Before, it wasn't really spelled out who would handle what so it was just a flip of the coin."

— From the Alton Telegraph

Cities may get chance to object to casinos

SPRINGFIELD — A bill going to the Illinois House would give the city of Alton the opportunity to object to a license renewal for the Alton Belle Casino.

The bill, which would apply to the Belle's renewal in September and to other gambling boats and their host cities, would add a provision to the riverboat gambling law giving local governments a chance to object and apply for a license to the Illinois Gaming Board.

The bill, which has passed the Senate and got House Judiciary Committee approval Wednesday, would apply to municipalities that felt gambling license holders had failed to live up to

written agreements or representations.

Under the bill, if the Gaming Board agreed with the complaining municipality it could refuse to renew the license.

The bill would also subject Gaming Board employees and members to a new ethics code, including barring members and staff and close relatives from having an interest or employment in a firm regulated by the board. The code would also prohibit the board for employment with those gaming interests for three years.

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Program offers an incentive to students

During the second year of its Partners in Education with Shell Oil of Wood River, the Madison High School Shell Oil team devised an incentive program for the high school students.

Students who met the criteria of the incentive program would receive a free field trip of their own choice for good third-quarter performance and a free trip to Six Flags of Mid-America for good second-semester performance.

For good performance, the students had to meet three criteria: acceptable grades, conduct and attendance.

After the third grading quarter, 82 students from an enrollment of 280 met the performance standards. This represented an increase of 20 percent from the end of the first semester.

Continuation of the incentive plan into the 1994-95 school year will be determined by student improvement in the three criteria.

Shell employees on the Madison team were instrumental and supportive in developing the plan. They were Howard Olsen, Greg Gudac, Jacob Young Jr., Nancy Yarnell and Gill Wimberly.

Both Madison High School staff members and students said they have found Shell Oil's partnership to be "very rewarding. We are sincerely grateful for Shell's interest in and support of our school."

Students who qualified for the incentive plan are:

Movie: Beth Baker, Callie Banks, Delia Bennett, Natasha Bradley, Kevin Bradley, Celena Brownley, Andre Brown, Yolanda Burton, Cliff Burris, Shenita Crawford, Eric DeBoe, Mesha DeBoe, Misty Endicott, Cheryl Gardner, Jeremy



Presenting funds for the Shell Oil Student Incentive Plan is Howard Olsen, left, Shell Oil plan manager, to Robert Mehelic, Madison High School principal. From left in the back row are Greg Gudac, Shell Oil staff engineer; Jacob Young Jr., Shell Oil pipelitter; and Gill Wimberly, Shell Oil senior clerk.

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Eagle Park group sees improvements

The Concerned Citizens of Eagle Park Acres sees an improvement in living conditions in its area, and cites wide cooperation in achieving that result.

Greg Gardner, Concerned Citizens president, said the group is thankful to "members of the community for their participation and support in working together to improve the conditions in Eagle Park Acres."

The vision of improving the community brought about the formation of the Concerned Citizens of Eagle Park Acres.

The group highly commends Andy Economy, supervisor of Venice Township; the Venice Township Board; State Rep. Wyvetter Young; Don Garrett, Madison County Board member; Bob Church, Madison County sheriff; and many others who have strongly supported our endeavors.

Within the organization, committees have been formed, including:

- ✓ Fire protection.
- ✓ Police protection.
- ✓ Neighborhood Watch.
- ✓ Correspondence.
- ✓ Sewer system; and
- ✓ Vacant lots cleanup and maintenance.

The committees were established to achieve goals in "building a brighter future for a better tomorrow," Gardner said.

"The group stands collectively on these issues and refuses to be hindered or stopped from reaching the goals by small-minded individuals who do not wish to see the community prosper."

The group is encouraging everyone to attend its next meeting at 7 p.m. Monday, June 6, at the Canaan Calile Missionary Baptist Church, 307 Allen St., Eagle Park Acres.

Help for homeless students

Bill establishes where homeless will go to school

A bill that protects the educational rights of homeless students will help provide stability in their lives, advocates say.

The Senate has passed a bill that establishes where homeless children will go to school and who will pay for schooling. Should the bill become law, Illinois would be the only state to have a specific educational law for homeless children.

"I've seen children come (here) and cry because they want to go to their school so badly. The only security they have is that school system and for that to be taken away can be very emotional for the child," she added.

Under current law, school districts may establish residency requirements and that may turn away children forced to live at a shelter.

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— Pam Eads

The bill would give children the choice of going to school in the shelter's district or

attending their school of origin if it is within a one-hour bus ride. If the distance is more than an hour, children could still attend the school of their choice if parents provide transportation.

There are about 25,000 homeless children in the state, according to the Illinois Coalition to End Homelessness. The coalition estimates that 28 percent of them find the obstacles so great that they don't attend school at all.

Eads said while enrolling the children in school isn't a problem, keeping them in their school of origin is difficult. The bill would help address that problem, she says.

Nancy Krehniak, Madison County's assistant regional superintendent, said the county is one of a few that will bend residency requirements in special cases like homelessness.

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Veterans making return to Guam

By Scott Woerz.
Staff writer

After 50 years of reflecting on his memories of World War II, traveling half-way around the world may be a sort of homecoming for Keith Tingley of Edwardsville.

Tingley was a member of the 6th U.S. Marine Division during World War II, and saw action in the Far East, including tours of duty in Okinawa, Guadalcanal, Iwo Jima and Guam.

Today, 50 years after U.S. troops liberated the island, Tingley and the other American servicemen who served on Guam have been invited back by the governor for a hero's welcome.

The 50th anniversary celebration, which has been named the "Golden Salute" will last for a week, beginning July 21, the date American troops began landing on the island in 1944.

Tingley had just graduated from high school when the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor in 1941. But the aftermath of the air raid changed his life completely.

"People were very patriotic then, and joining the armed forces wasn't something you had to think twice about," Tingley said. "I was young and wild, so I joined the Marines because I wanted to be right in the middle of the action, and I don't think I gave dying a single thought."

After being shipped to California and then Hawaii for training in 1942, Tingley was assigned to the 22nd Marine

Regiment, one of four regiments that made up the 1st Provisional Marine Brigade; he said, it didn't take long for the realities of war to begin to set in.

"I made four assault landings, and those were the toughest things I've ever had to do in my life," Tingley said. "On Guadalcanal we made our way to the beach under heavy fire only to find it completely covered with land mines. I lost a lot of buddies during those

landings, and as the number of landings I made grew, it was natural to think the averages were going to catch up."

Despite the fact that battles seemed to last forever, Tingley said the 50 years since then have flashed by.

"I never dreamed (during World War II) that I'd be going back to Guam as a hero," Tingley said. "It's going to be really emotional, because I haven't been back there since the war was over."

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EPA head warns of ozone danger

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Director Mary A. Gade says ozone season in Illinois is now under way through Oct. 31.

During 1994, ground-level ozone (smog) is monitored at nearly 40 locations statewide, with the primary focus on the Chicago and Metro East.

"Exposure to high levels of ozone can cause respiratory problems in some people, and I want to caution Illinois residents to be aware of the increased potential," Gade said.

The IEPA is continually working to battle ozone and meet objectives set by the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990. However, certain weather conditions combined with pollution emissions can still lead to unhealthy levels of ozone in the spring and summer seasons.

Ozone forms as a result of industrial and automobile emissions of nitrogen oxides and volatile

organic compounds in the presence of sunshine and warm temperatures.

Summer days with temperatures above 80 degrees, little or no precipitation, lots of sunshine and light winds, are the most likely times for ozone to form in higher concentrations.

When several of these days occur in a row, the risk of unhealthy ozone levels increases. Unhealthy conditions occur when one-hour concentrations exceed .12 parts per million in the air.

When these conditions occur, the IEPA will issue a notification to the public detailing the ozone levels and the areas affected.

If unhealthy levels are not expected to reoccur the next day, then an "unhealthful statement" will be issued. If high ozone levels are expected to reoccur the next day, then an "advisory" will be issued for the air quality control region containing the affected areas.

By Scott Wuerz
Staff writer

The General George Rogers Clark chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution will honor the Madison County Government this month.

Joseph Hill, president of the Edwardsville-based group, said it will present a citation to Madison County Board Chairman

Nelson Hagnauer at 11 a.m. at the Madison County Courthouse, on Flag Day, June 14.

The Flag Award recognizes the patriotism of Madison County government leaders and the county's citizens, which is represented by the large American flag flying between the Madison County Courthouse and Administration Building, Hill said.

Edwardsville Mayor Gary Niebur is expected to speak during the award ceremony, and a color guard representing each branch of the armed forces will be provided by Scott Air Force Base.

"The Sons of the American Revolution pick someone each year who flies our country's flag as a patriotic gesture," Hill said.

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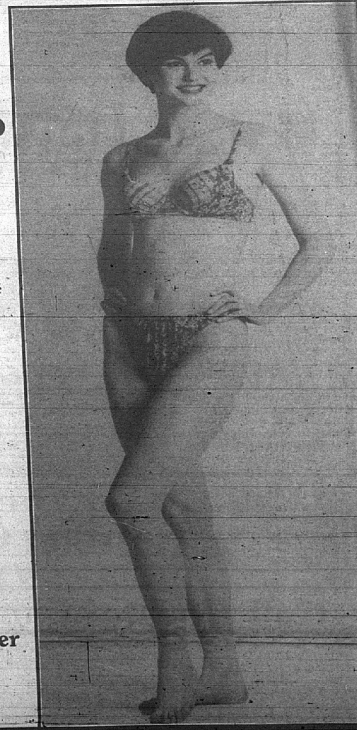
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Briggs' name was on trashed ticket

Madison County officials can't explain why a political officeholder's name is written at the top of a traffic ticket that wound up in a wastebasket.

Madison County Regional Schools Superintendent Harry Briggs had no explanation Thursday why his name was handwritten on a dismissed traffic ticket issued to a 23-year-old Granite City man.

Briggs, who acknowledged he is a friend of the defendant's family, said he was not involved in the ticket's dismissal.

"I have no idea," Briggs said when asked why his name was on the Circuit Court copy of the ticket. "I know the family but I really don't know why my name was written on it."

The ticket, issued in January to Robert Relleke for failing to wear a seat belt, was dismissed last week reportedly at the hands of Don Bridick, a Sheriff's Department employee and the chief security officer at the Madison County Courthouse.

Bridick has not returned phone calls, and his boss, Sheriff Bob Churchich, has refused to take calls.

Haine, who this week banned Bridick from interfering in traffic court affairs, declined to comment on Briggs' name being written on the ticket.

"I have turned the faucet off on Bridick and that's all I really want to say. My office will no longer communicate with Deputy Bridick on any traffic issues," Briggs said Haine showed him a copy of the ticket with his name on it.

"I did see it, so I know it was on there, but I honestly can't explain why," he said.

The ticket, which was discovered in Bridick's office wastebasket, was dismissed by Madison County Associate Judge George Filcoff.

Relleke, who had said earlier that Bridick was supposed to take care of the ticket, could not be reached for comment. He was also issued a speeding ticket, fined \$50 and placed on court supervision.

Pontoon Beach Lt. Dan McKinney, who issued the tickets, could not be reached for comment.

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There are some good reasons for letting the pros handle the photography. For one, the quality is unmistakable. Compare a studio photo of your child, for example, against the one a well-meaning relative took at last year's family get-together. True, it's like comparing apples and oranges, but that's exactly the point. It's a known fact that the studio has the expertise and the equipment to produce remarkable results.

Photographing pets is even more difficult, as many of us have experienced. Point a camera at a dog or cat and they'll do anything but sit still. Haul out a camcorder, though, and they'll exhibit about as much motion as a sphinx. Plus, with many cameras, it's impossible to focus sharply on anything closer than three feet or so. Get the picture?

We should mention at this point, while the name Candid Canine implies that just dogs are involved, it's not so. Cats and birds are equally welcome!

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Sunday, June 12th
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The Metro East Sanitary District levee that kept the Granite City area dry during last summer's record flood that devastated a lot of other communities.

Once the film is edited down, it will be shown in 80-second spots at different times of the day, including 14 during the "Today in St. Louis" morning news show, eight during "Today", two during weeknight 6 o'clock news shows, two during the "Tonight Show," 12 during local weekend newscasts, two during "Saturday Night Live," two during the popular Sunday night "Sports Plus 30" program, and 20 weeknights between 1 p.m. and 5 a.m.

The specific dates the spots will be shown have not yet been identified, nor the exact number of differing commercials.

The city's target market is adults age 25 to 44 years who have children and an annual household income of at least \$30,000, and who are looking to buy their first home or upgrade from their current housing.

That target market is 10 percent of the population of the St. Louis area, or about 170,500 adults, according to a proposal from Channel 5 to the city.

The ads will cost a total of \$5,200 — including production costs — and reach 150,000 adults in the target market at least 10 times each, according to the proposal.

Other entities featured in the commercials are sharing the cost with the city.

The commercial idea came from former Economic Development Director Alan Orbital, who resigned that position last year. Orbital has since become executive director of the Southwestern Illinois Development Authority.

Last year, the city began a series of advertisements in the St. Louis Business Journal magazine. Those ads targeted businesses and industry wanting to find a location or relocate from another area.

Jail

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When the bill was proposed three months ago, local officials were confident it would receive legislative approval easily. No one at the county level envisioned the gridlock in the Legislature.

THE EXPANSION project would increase capacity to 204 men from 158 and to 35 women from 20.

At its current 1.74-cent rate, the tax costs the owner of a \$60,000 house about \$2.90 a year.

Officials have said they would probably decrease the rate if it is extended to ease the burden on property owners.

From the Alton Telegraph

Senior menus

Donations for noon meals are \$1.75. Call day ahead for reservations, 577-4373.

Wednesday, June 1
Chicken and dumplings, tossed salad, sliced carrots, wheat bread, sugar cookies.

Thursday, June 2
Liver and onions, whipped potatoes with gravy, Harvard beets, wheat bread, sliced pears.

Friday, June 3
Bratwurst, German potato salad, peas, bun, fruit cocktail.

Monday, June 6
Barbecued, boneless rib, scalloped potatoes, green beans, wheat bread, vanilla pudding.

Tuesday, June 7
Chicken patty, potato triangle, three-bean salad, bun, fruited gelatin.

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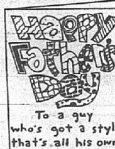


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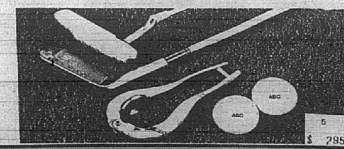


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Obituaries



James McMahen

James Edgar "Mac" McMahen, 72, of Granite City, formerly of Florida, Ill., died at 8:43 p.m. Saturday, May 28, 1994, at Edwardsville Care Center East, Edwardsville, after a one-year illness.

He was born Oct. 24, 1921, in Florida and had been a resident of Granite City for 50 years.

Mr. McMahen was a welder with A.O. Smith Corp., Granite City, for 30 years prior to his retirement in 1984.

A World War II and Korean War U.S. Army veteran, he had been a prisoner of war. He was of the Protestant faith.

Survivors include two sisters, Opal Sexton and Mary Jane Bousman, both of Granite City; seven nephews, four nieces, nine great-nephews and six great-nieces.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Joseph Warren McMahen and Dessie Ethel (Haycock) McMahen; and three sisters, Helen McKeehan, Kathleen Miller and Edith Bolin.

Services are at 10 a.m. today at Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, Granite City, with the Rev. Vicki Harden Evans officiating. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon.

Memorials are requested for the American Cancer Society.



Eldon Curtright

Eldon Curtright, 85, of Granite City died at 10:50 p.m. Sunday, May 29, 1994, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center after a lengthy illness.

He was born Feb. 3, 1909, in Granite City, where he had been a lifelong resident.

Mr. Curtright was a retired chemistry teacher and school principal in Granite City School District 9; a member of Niedringhaus Methodist Church, Granite City, Masonic Lodge 877, Granite City, and Ainal Shrine Temple; and a World War II U.S. Navy veteran.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Eudye Curtright, who died Dec. 10, 1992; and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Curtright.

Visitation will be held from 5 to 8 p.m. today at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City, where services will take place at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, with the Rev. Bruce Rushing officiating. Burial will be at Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, St. Louis County.

Memorials may be given to Niedringhaus Methodist Church.

Delmer Dell

Delmer Dell, 85, of Dupo died Sunday, May 29, 1994, at St. Louis University Medical Center. He was born Dec. 5, 1908, in Corning, Ark. He was a member of First Baptist Church, Dupo, and Columbia Masonic Blue Lodge 474.

Survivors include his wife, Lura (Avery) Dell; two sons, J.C. "Jake" Dell and Bob Dell, both of Dupo; one daughter, Betty Sanders of Dupo; three brothers, Jack Dell of Dupo, Edgar Dell of Granite City and Leroy Dell of Hillsboro, Mo.; six sisters, Goldie Redding and Florabel Earnhart, both of Malden, Mo.; Leona Cox of Dupo, Helen Taylor of Valley Park, Mo., Naomi Jentrey of Poplar Bluff, Mo., and Geraldine Dell of Whitehall, Ill.; 11 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one son, Jackie Dell; his parents, Edd and Ruzia (Vladier) Dell; five brothers, Charlie, Azel, Earl, Bobbie and Freddie Dell; and one sister, Genevieve Dell.

Visitation is from 9 to 11:30 a.m. today at Dasher Funeral Home, 400 S. Main, Dupo, and noon to 1 p.m. today at First Baptist Church, 206 Kroeger, Dupo, where services will be held at 1 p.m. today. Burial will be at Valhalla Gardens of Memory, Belleville.

Memorials are requested for the First Baptist Church Building Fund, Dupo.

Josephine Henke

Josephine Henke, 78, of Granite City died Monday, May 30, 1994, at Medina General Hospital, Medina, Ohio.

Arrangements are pending at Davis Funeral Home, 21st Street and Cleveland Boulevard, Granite City, 877-0120.

Brownie Ricks

Brownie (Mize) Ricks, 76, of Granite City, formerly of Madison, died at 12:20 a.m. Sunday, May 29, 1994, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center after a two-week illness.

She was born Sept. 22, 1917, in Trigg County, Ky., and had been a resident of the Granite City-Madison area for 50 years.

She was a store clerk with the P.N. Hirsch department store, Granite City, and a member of Calvary Baptist Church, Granite City.

Survivors include one son, Kevin Ricks of Duluth, Ga.; one brother, Edgar Mize of Granite City; and four sisters, Virginia Bridges of Granite City, Agnes Kern of Pontoon Beach, Marie Gantt of Huntsville, Ala., and Bernice Hall of Marion, Ky.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Lacy B. Ricks, whom she married Feb. 9, 1935, in Cadiz, Ky., and who died Aug. 5, 1986.

Services are at 10 a.m. today at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City, with the Rev. Gerald Ray officiating. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon.

Memorials are requested for the American Cancer Society.

No end in sight for Legislature

SPRINGFIELD — House and Senate leaders agreed earlier this year to schedule the end of the legislative session May 27, but there is no end in sight.

The House and Senate are on two separate scheduling tracks, complicating the prediction for when the session will end.

The Senate deadline for passing House bills was May 20, but the House was still considering more than 600 of its own bills May 24.

The Senate Republican majority blames the House Democratic majority for the situation.

"The (Senate) president (James Philip) has made it clear the other House bills are not going to be heard," said Sen. Frank Watson, R-Greenville, an assistant majority leader.

The president and the speaker made an agreement on the schedule and the speaker broke it.

He added, "It's a real joke and a mockery of the process."

House Democratic leaders, however, blame Republicans in both the Senate and House.

House Republicans have stalled and slowed floor action for weeks by repeatedly demanding caucuses and prolonging debate on minor bills, Democrats say. They consider it a protest against the House Democratic leadership for calling only Democratic bills for a vote.

House Majority Leader Jim McPike of Alton said last week, "We believe we were elected to do something, and the (House) Republicans' stalling tactics will put the session back to June 30 or later and we won't meet an artificial deadline of May 27."

McPike said Philip was being unreasonable by not extending the Senate deadlines. The House may continue to meet through June to consider both House and Senate bills, regardless of the Senate deadlines, he said.

Watson said he expects the Senate to take an extended recess after Friday and not return until later in June when there is some progress on passing a state budget and a Medicaid reform package sought by the governor.

McPike said the House is steadily working toward a Medicaid managed-care bill but is frustrated by the Edgar administration's failure to come up with specifics on what it wants to do.

— From the Alton Telegraph

Clyde Edwards

Clyde L. Edwards, 87, of Granite City, formerly of Venice, died at 3:30 a.m. Monday, May 30, 1994, after a two-year illness.

Born in Chaffee, Mo., he had been a resident of Venice for 20 years prior to moving to Granite City 80 years ago.

He was a barber, had worked with the Carpenters union local in Granite City, and was a partner in the B & E Planning Mill, Madison.

Mr. Edwards owned and operated several taverns in the area.

Survivors include his wife, Mary (Kurtz) Edwards; one son, the Rev. Donald Ray Edwards of Barnwell, S.C.; one brother, Carl Edwards of Granite City; two sisters, Ruth "Dolly" Wells of Elgin, Calif., and Ileen Weidner of Madison; five grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandson.

He was preceded in death by one daughter, Betty Jo Gasparovic; and three brothers, Otto, Edgar and Russell "Mick" Edwards.

Visitation is set for 4:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. today at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City, where services will be held at 11:30 a.m. Thursday, with the Rev. Gerald Ray Edwards officiating. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon.

Class planning 25-year reunion

The 25th reunion of the Belleville Township High School West Class of 1969 will be held Saturday, July 16, at Albert's on Centerville Avenue in Belleville. The cost is \$30 per person.

If you are a member of this class and have not been contacted, please call D. Stewart Verdu at 235-7681. Reservations must be made by June 15.

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Board OKs hiring of 19 teachers

By Amber Rogers

Correspondent

Granite City School District 9 approved the hiring of 19 new teachers at last week's school board meeting.

Of the new certified staff hired, Linda Bryner, Randy Burgess and Brett Heiner all will teach social studies and Tom Blaha, John Nieber and Gary Storm will teach drivers' education.

Chuck Kraus, Debbie Germann and Jennifer Debevoise will teach physical education; David Weller will teach health; Lisa Elrod, Lori Reising, Jody Lipe and Kimberly Lignault all will teach English.

Cynthia Melton, Janet R. Vaughn, Krista M. Forrester, Terri L. Holtgrave and Jerry D. Trickey will teach middle school and junior high science.

According to Steve Balen, superintendent, the teachers will begin their duties with the resumption of classes in September.

"As a general rule, we have over 200 applicants on file," Balen said. "It is a ranking system. We have a committee process of principals and teachers who rate each person."

The process then becomes a three-step approval system. The first step is the evaluation of the applicant's credentials, followed by an interview. A final step is a check on references.

"We like to check one or two of the references, the people who know the applicant the best, and make sure everything is in order," Balen said.

To what schools and which classes the newly-hired teachers will go has not yet been decided, Balen said.

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Artist

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greeting cards celebrating the popular television show's 20th anniversary next year.

Because Hallmark has exclusive licensing rights to the cards, Willardred can't show them to anyone — yet. The cards are due out in some markets in September of this year.

Isn't it unusual for an artist to land a good-paying job right out of school and have his signed work marketed nationally?

"I was just kind of in the right place at the right time. Everything just happened at once and here I am," Willardred says of his job at Hallmark.

On his third or fourth day on the job, Willardred — fresh from the Kansas City Art Institute — and wearing a concert T-shirt — found himself in the conference room of a giant corporation surrounded by executives in suits and ties reviewing his portfolio.

"It was really strange. But

they liked what they saw and sent copies of my portfolio stuff to New York. (The SNL executives) liked it, too, so here I am," he said.

Each of Willardred's cards must be personally approved by Michaels and the SNL cast members before Hallmark can begin production. And some cast members live up to their temperamental reputations, he said.

"A lot of them are jerks about it," he said. "One cast member wanted us to do a card at first. Then he decided he didn't. Now he's decided he wants it again."

Willardred said the SNL illustrations pose some difficult challenges.

"For instance, I have to do an illustration of Dana Carvey dressed up as George Bush. Now the illustration can't look too much like Bush and it can't look too much like Dana Carvey. It has to look like Dana Carvey trying to look like George Bush.

Otherwise, people will look at it and say, 'Gosh, that's a really bad drawing of George Bush,'" Willardred said.

In addition to the Hallmark job, Willardred has done free-lance work for the *Kansas City Star* and the local Public Broadcasting System affiliate in Kansas City.

Willardred said the Granite City High School Art curriculum — and especially art instructor Antonio Belancourt — helped shape his career.

"The high school has a really good art program. I was a lot better prepared than a lot of the other students at the Art Institute."

"I just wish the school would promote it more, support the students," Willardred said. "When I was in school, the attitude was, 'Oh, you want to be an artist. But what are you really going to do?'"

"What is in the future?" "Just want to be able to

support myself doing illustrations — mostly of people," he said. "I swore that when I quit stocking shelves ... I'd never work at another non-art-related job."

He said that executives with Lucasfilm, George Lucas' production company that put out the "Indiana Jones" films, has contacted him about doing illustrations. He is also working with friends on developing

three-dimensional animation, a board game and other independent work, he said. He is also experimenting with more abstract illustrations. "I did an illustration of Clint Eastwood and really stretched his face length-wise and narrowed it. It looks pretty good. But for right now, Wayne and Garth have to look like Wayne and Garth," he said.



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Drugs and child abuse

2-year-old's death cited in call for system's reform

The fatal beating of 2-year-old Michael Cecil in Madison County will be just one of a long line of child deaths at the hands of abusive adults if the state doesn't reform its child-welfare system, according to an Illinois State House report.

The major thrust of the report calls for doubling drug rehabilitation programs and putting more emphasis on preventive measures, such as parenting classes.

Rep. Jay Hoffman of Collinsville, co-chairman of the Special House Judiciary Committee subcommittee on child welfare, which issued the report, said the suggestions would cost about \$200 million to implement, half of which the state could get in federal funding.

The report says, "The most distressing aspect of this problem is that the state is painfully aware of the extent of the substance-abuse problem and its effect on the child-welfare system yet has failed to take action to remedy it."

By turning its back, Illinois has contributed to the child-welfare system's "overwhelming burden."

Michael Cecil died Aug. 15, two days after a fatal beating allegedly at the hands of the boy's mother. The mother, Kathy Cecil, who allegedly did not seek medical attention for her son as he suffered from the abdominal injuries, and Keith Bennett, both of Wood River, have been charged with first-degree murder in the death and are awaiting trial.

The Department of Children and Family Services has been criticized about the death because the family was under the watch of caseworkers. Two DCF employees were fired after the boy's death.

Deaths like Michael Cecil's will continue unless something is done to change the DCF's system, the subcommittee report concluded.

The study's conclusions were based on a 10-month investigation by subcommittee members who traveled across the state, including the Metro East, researching child welfare and holding hearings concerning DCF's. The panel had three Democrats and two Republicans as members.

"What we saw in the eyes of all the children we visited in these regions was unconditional love and trust, even after all they've been through," Hoffman said.

The panel recommended doubling the number of state-subsidized drug rehabilitation beds to 4,500, with the additional beds restricted for treatment of parents with children in foster care. About 300 rehabilitation spots in state programs are now available for women with children.

Difficulty in finding space for parents who want drug rehabilitation services makes it extremely difficult to bring about reform, said Madison County Assistant State's Attorney Amy Mittman.

Chairwoman of the county's Child Abuse Task Force. "Once we get the commitment from all those who need help, we have to try to find spaces for them. Many times it's a five- or six-week waiting period before we can get treatment for them. Sometimes the commitment doesn't last that long."

DCF's Director Sterling "Mac" Ryder defended the agency, saying it recognizes it has problems and has been working toward reform, including implementing many of the panel's recommendations.

Ryder added the agency made attempts to provide the subcommittee with whatever

information it needed but the panel members did not respond to the offer.

The subcommittee report also calls for multidisciplinary child-abuse review teams, such as the one in Madison County, that would improve communication among agencies and child protection advocates. Madison County is one of the few areas in the state to have such a team.

Other key recommendations

include:

- Starting a Healthy Start pilot program to identify at-risk families as soon as children are born. The committee recommendation is based on a successful program in Hawaii. A bill based on the Hawaii program has already passed the Senate and another version is before the House.
- Keeping better track of available foster homes by upgrading DCF's computer

system and improving communication between DCF's and foster families.

Implementing programs to help teen-agers in DCF's custody learn basic skills for living on their own when they leave the system.

Changing the child-abuse reporting law to allow more complete investigations of child abuse and neglect so that case workers can make thorough judgments on child safety.

— From the Allen Telegraph

Boating safety courses offered

Area residents will have an opportunity to learn boating safety basics at a Department of Conservation boating safety course scheduled from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, June 4, at Edwardsville Sportman's Club, Old Staunton Road, north of Troy.

State legislation which became effective in 1978 requires that persons 12 through 17 years old have a Boating Safety Certificate before they can operate a motor-driven boat without adult supervision.

The certificate is issued by the Department of Conservation to persons who successfully complete the boating safety course. This is an excellent opportunity for young people who need the course to comply with the law.

The course is open to the public and anyone, regardless of age, may take the course to brush up on their boating safety habits.

The eight-hour course includes instruction in rules of the water, Illinois boating law, first aid, safety afloat, boating construction and design, and other topics, too, that will help make participants safe boaters. To register, call 656-6311.



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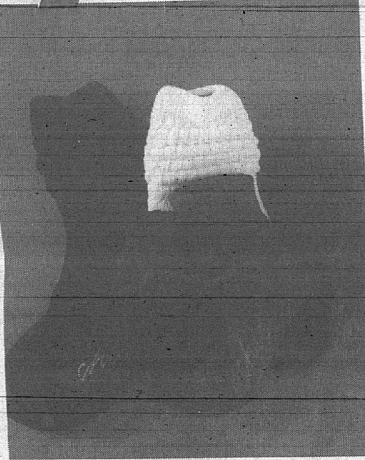
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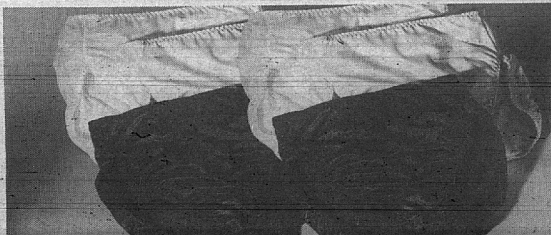
U of I Club to award scholarship

The Metro East U of I Club, the local chapter of the University of Illinois Alumni Association, has announced plans to award a \$1,000 scholarship.

Any high school senior who is currently attending school in Madison, St. Clair or Monroe counties and who will be entering the University of Illinois in the fall of 1994 is eligible to apply. The award will be based upon academic excellence, leadership and extracurricular involvement, as well as on an essay addressing the topic, "Why the U of I."

This is the fifth year for the scholarship. For information, contact Richard M. Ohms, 1813 Stanford Place, Edwardsville, IL 62025-2632, phone 692-1806. The application deadline is June 15.

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Warriors, Wood River in regional final

Granite City rallies, holds off pesky Panthers in extra innings

By Greg Shashack
Staff writer

The Jerseyville Panthers served notice to Granite City that living up to its No. 1 seed in the Wood River Regional would be no easy proposition.

The Panthers fell short of upsetting the Warriors on Saturday, but Granite City came perilously close to following second-seeded Edwardsville in the growing list of teams done for the season.

The Warriors survived by scoring three runs in the eighth inning to get past Jerseyville 7-4 in the regional semifinals. Granite City was scheduled to meet third-seeded Wood River for the regional title at 4 p.m. Tuesday at Dwiggs Field. The host Oilers advanced by upsetting Edwardsville 5-1 in the other semifinal Saturday.

"THAT SHOWS THAT you can't take anything for granted. We talked to our kids about that," Granite City coach Corey Dickerson said. "Jerseyville played very well today. We were fortunate to win."

It took extra innings, but the Warriors advanced to the regional title game for the third straight year. Corey Dickerson, who relieved starter Mark Winfield in the fourth inning, pitched five innings to get the win and run his record to 9-1. Jason Talley's two-out, two-run double in the eighth capped a winning rally that featured four consecutive bunts by the Warriors. Granite City, which had not scored since the fourth, left the bases loaded in the seventh and filled the bases again in the eighth on Corey Dickerson's

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walk and three straight bunts by Donald Harris, Jon Reader and Sean Lakatos.

Harris sacrificed Dickerson to second with the first bunt. Reader's bunt went for a single, and Lakatos reached safely when his bunt was mishandled by first baseman Randy Rontz.

The next hit, Andy Roe, squeezed Dickerson home with a bunt down the first-base line that went for a hit and put Granite City ahead 5-1. After Jeff Ridenour hit into a fielder's choice, Talley ripped a double down the right-field line to bring in Roe and Lakatos.



(Staff photo by JOHN SWISTAK JR.)

Corey Dickerson improved to 9-1 on the year with Saturday's win over Jerseyville.

(See WARRIORS, Page 3B)

Lady Warriors shut out Springfield, reach finals

Sectional victory sends kickers to 3rd meeting with Collinsville

By Tony Panozzo
Staff writer

The Lady Warrior soccer team earned a berth in the Collinsville Sectional finals — and another chance at the host Lady Kahoks — with a 3-0 victory Saturday over Springfield at Kahok Stadium.

The Lady Warriors, who were scheduled to play the Lady Kahoks for the sectional title at Collinsville at 7 p.m. Tuesday, won their fifth straight game and improved to 16-3-2. Granite City posted its third straight shutout of the postseason.

Tuesday's game marked the third meeting between Granite City and Collinsville. The winner moves on to this weekend's IHSA state tournament at

Collinsville Sectional									
AB	R	H	E	R	BP	IP	W	L	P
Granite City	3	0	0	0	0	9.0	0	0	0
Springfield	0	0	0	0	0	9.0	0	0	0
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Springfield	0	0	0	0	0	9.0	0	0	0

Conant High School in Hoffman Estates, a suburb of Chicago.

THE LADY WARRIORS lost to the Lady Kahoks 2-1 at Collinsville on April 5 and tied their rivalry 1-1 at GCIS on May 9. Granite City was subsequently seeded second behind Collinsville in the 25-team sectional field.

The Lady Kahoks routed Quincy Notre Dame 9-1 on Saturday to earn the other title game berth.

(See LADY WARRIORS, Page 3B)

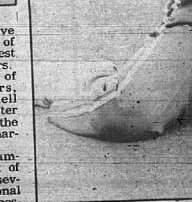
Madison ends season at state

The Madison High track team's season came to an end in the preliminaries of the Class A boys state meet last Friday in Charleston.

The Trojans, who qualified in two events, failed to advance to Saturday's finals at Eastern Illinois University. Senior sprinter Tavares Young ended his career after placing fifth in the 400-meter dash in the third of five heats Friday. Young's time of 52.89 seconds was the 22nd best among 41 preliminary qualifiers.

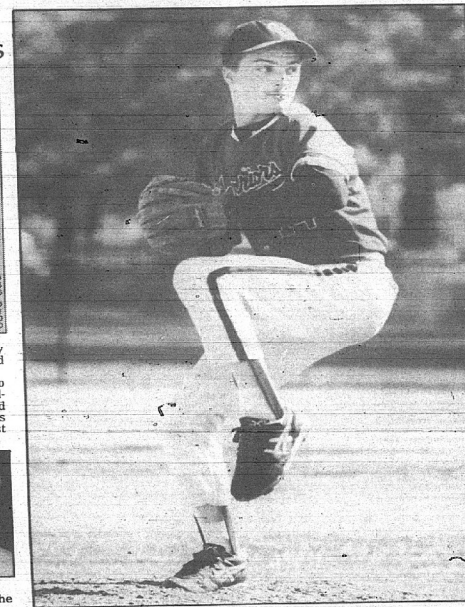
Madison's 400 relay team of Young, Andre Weathers, Edmund Butler and Darnell Gregory failed to advance after placing fourth in its heat — the fifth and last of the preliminaries. Madison's time was 44.93.

The Trojans, who were hampered by injuries and a lack of numbers this season, placed seventh in the Pittsfield Sectional but could not carry on their postseason success at state. Friday's meet marked the end of coach Charles Steptoe's 26-year career at Madison. Steptoe is retiring this season.



(Photo by PAUL BALLARGEON)

Charles Steptoe stretches out before a race. The Trojans qualified two events for last weekend's state meet but did not advance to the finals.



(Staff photo by JOHN SWISTAK JR.)

Corey Dickerson improved to 9-1 on the year with Saturday's win over Jerseyville.



(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)

Brooke Bjorkman (left) fights two Collinsville players for the ball. The Lady Warriors and the Lady Kahoks were scheduled to meet Tuesday night for the Collinsville sectional championship.

Rocks roll by Flyers, win state track title

Rock Island sprints to upset; East St. Louis places third

By R.J. Gerber
Staff writer

CHARLESTON — The fact that East St. Louis Senior even had a chance to defend its Class AA track and field title Saturday was somewhat incredible.

The Flyers, who some believed had a legitimate shot at posting 100 points at this year's meet at Eastern Illinois University's O'Brien Stadium, were somewhat devastated during Friday's preliminaries.

East Side came into the finals with seven event finalists, including all four relay teams. But Rock Island's strength in the sprint events carried it to this year's title.

The Rocks posted 54 team points to claim the championship and Evanston was the runner-up with 49. East Side took third place with 44 points.

dashes, as well as any of the three jumping events, hopes of defending their title and winning their third crown in four seasons were realistic.

But those hopes were dealt a serious blow during the second leg of the 400-meter relay. An event that East Side was seeded second in, the Flyers scored no points after Woody Gray lost his hold of the baton, thus producing a ninth-place finish.

Rock Island, led by Adrian Dunbar, Jerry Harris and Aaron Taylor, took home top honors. The Rocks got first-place efforts in the 800-meter relay, the 200-meter dash and the 400-meter relay. They also had four other medal-winning performances that included nothing less than fourth place.

"This is a very special group," Rocks coach Ed Lillis said. "The seniors have been the great team to work with. We took the season one day at a time while trying to maintain a sort of arrogance (See TRACK, Page 4B)

FOOTBALL

The Granite City Park District is holding a flag football camp this week at GCIS.

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Oilers shock Edwardsville with 5-1 semifinal victory

By Greg Shashack
Staff writer

There probably have been more satisfying victories in the history of East Alton-Wood River High School baseball, but coach Buzz Kindie could not come up with one Saturday.

The Oilers rode the three-hit pitching of Chris Brooks and stunned the Edwardsville Tigers 5-1 in the semifinals of the Wood River Class AA Regional at Dwiggs Field.

"It's one of the biggest wins we've ever had here," said Kindie, whose team was scheduled to meet Granite City at 4 p.m. Tuesday for the regional championship. "It was very sweet. It's always a little sweeter when you beat a team the caliber of Edwardsville."

THE TIGERS, who have won more games than any team in the state over the past six years and won six consecutive regional championships, made their earliest postseason exit since 1981. Edwardsville finished the season at 25-8, posting its 15th straight 20-victory season.

"We won a bunch of games and my kids worked hard," said Edwardsville coach Tom Pile, who was thrown out of the game in the sixth inning after being at odds with umpires Chris Skinner and Rick Eberlin for much of the contest. But unlike our teams past, this team never really understood what it took, the little things it took, to win baseball games.

"Today, we didn't execute. It's very difficult to win when you don't execute and you have to play against all the odds, so to speak."

BASEBALL

Wood River Regional

Game 1: Jerseyville 5, Alton 1

Game 2: Wood River 3, Civic Memorial 0

May 28

At Dwiggs Field

Game 3: Wood River 5, Edwardsville 1

Game 4: Granite City 7, Jerseyville 4

May 31

Championship: Wood River vs. Granite City, 4 p.m.

That last reference was to the umpires, but it was Wood River's Brooks who gave the Tigers the most trouble. Brooks, a 6-foot-4 right-hander, limited Edwardsville to three hits to run his record to 4-6.

"Brooks showed a lot of class and a lot of guts," Kindie said. "He did a tremendous job for us today."

Edwardsville's Steffen Nicholson led off the first inning with a single, but the Tigers did not manage another hit until Andy Coffin's RBI single in the sixth. That cut Wood River's lead to 2-1. But the Oilers scored three runs in the seventh, including two on Jess Buttry's two-out double, to seal the victory.

"THAT WAS THE game as far as I was concerned," Kindie said. "When you're up just 3-1 or 2-1 against a team as good as Edwardsville, they're right in the game."

"We played Edwardsville tough last year, but they've really put it to us in the past. Our kids came out today with a lot of confidence."

GIRLS SOCCER

Collinsville Sectional

Regional A

Game 1: Carbondale 2, Civic Memorial 1

May 23

Game 2: Rochester beat Springfield Lutheran by forfeit

Game 3: Alton 5, Springfield Ursuline 1

Game 4: Collinsville 6, Carbondale 0

May 24

Game 5: Alton 2, Rochester 1

May 26

Championship: Collinsville 3, Alton 0

Regional B

Game 1: Marquette 3, Stanton 1

May 23

Game 2: Quincy Notre Dame 10, Jacksonville 0

May 24

Game 3: Springfield Sacred Heart-Giffin 3, Marquette 1

May 26

Game 4: Notre Dame 5, Quincy 2

Championship: Notre Dame 4, Springfield Sacred Heart-Giffin 3

Regional C

Game 1: Wood River 7, Springfield Lanphier 0

May 23

Game 2: Roxana 2, Cahokia 0

May 24

Game 3: Granite City 15, Roxana 0

Game 4: Chatham Glenwood 2, Wood River 0

May 26

Championship: Granite City 2, Chatham Glenwood 0

Regional D

Game 1: Althoff 8, M.E. Lutheran 1

May 21

Game 2: Springfield Southeast 1, Pleasant Plains 0

Game 3: Althoff 2, O'Fallon 1

May 24

Game 4: Springfield 6, Springfield Southeast 0

May 26

Championship: Springfield 4, Althoff 1

May 28 (At Collinsville)

Game 1: Collinsville 9, Notre Dame 1

Game 2: Granite City 3, Springfield 0

May 31

Championship: Collinsville vs. Granite City, 7 p.m.

State finals

At Hoffman Estates

June 3

Game 1: Wheaton North Sectional winner vs. Evanston Sectional winner, 11 a.m.

Game 2: Rockford Boylan Sectional winner vs. Palatine Fremd Sectional winner, 2 p.m.

Game 3: New Lenox Lincoln-Way Sectional winner vs. Danvers-Hinsdale South Sectional winner, 5:30 p.m.

Game 4: Collinsville Sectional winner vs. Lincolnshire Stevenson Sectional winner, 7:30 p.m.

June 4

Game 5: Granite 1 winner vs. Granite 2 winner, 9 a.m.

Game 6: Granite 3 winner vs. Granite 4 winner, 11 a.m.

Third place: Granite 5 loser vs. Granite 6 loser, 5 p.m.

State championship: Granite 5 winner vs. Granite 6 winner, 7 p.m.

Warriors

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DICKERSON, WHO TOOK over the game for Winfield in the fourth, recorded three quick outs in the eighth for the victory. Dickerson fanned four of the final seven batters he faced.

But it was Talley's double that broke the ice for GCHS, which saw two early leads slip away. "That's a huge hit in that game," Lignoul said. "Instead of going into the bottom of the seventh with a one-run lead, we had a three-run lead."

"I think you have to give a lot of credit to Jerseyville. At this time of year, every team is a good team. If you don't approach it that way, you'll get beat."

"You hate to see anybody lose a game like this," Jerseyville coach Ken Schell said. "That's a ballgame where both teams played real well, but unfortunately one team's got to lose and it was us today."

Granite City scored a run in the first on Jeff Ridenour's RBI single and made it 2-0 on Winfield's home run over the right-field fence in the second. Win-

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— Gus Lignoul
Warrior coach

field also appeared to be in command on the mound after striking out three batters in the first two innings.

"We came out and scored early," Lignoul said. "Winfield was pitching real well and things looked good for us."

But as they would all afternoon, the Panthers fought back. Matt Schultz laced a two-out single in the third to drive in Ray Roentz and Brandon Dunham to tie the score at 2-2. The Warriors scored twice in the fourth to take a 4-2 lead. But, again, the Panthers rallied.

Jerseyville (16-13) scored a run without a hit in the fourth to get within 4-3 and tied the score

in the fifth on Nate Wilson's two-out double.

"I sort of felt like the momentum went their way," Lignoul said. "Fortunately, our pitching and defense kept us in there (Jerseyville) kept battling and battling and battling."

The Warriors knocked out Jerseyville starter Richie Ruyle in the fourth, but Ruyle reentered the next inning and kept the Warriors scoreless until he left in the seventh. Burney relieved with two outs and the bases loaded in the seventh and retired Jason Wood on a groundout.

Granite City improved to 24-3 with the win. During the regular season, the Warriors defeated every team in the regional and also won the Southwestern Conference title.

Granite City came into the regional after defeating O'Fallon 1-0 in nine innings in the second game of a doubleheader May 23. Lignoul said that win might have given the Warriors a lift.

"I don't think you ever want to finish the regular season on a losing note," Lignoul said. "We talked about that. We had accomplished so far, and I think that win catapulted us."

Lady Warriors

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"The girls wanted to play them," Granite City coach Gene Baker said. "We just feel we played a bad game (May 9). We'll see what happens."

On Saturday, the Lady Warriors took a 1-0 lead against third-seeded Springfield in the first half on a goal by Holly Farnsworth at 32:25. Staci Dowdy, who scored in the second half, assisted on the goal.

Granite City goalkeeper Mikla Economy, who went on to post her 12th shutout of the season, made several key saves in the first half. She deflected a shot over the crossbar at the 14-minute mark and came out of the net to stop a potential breakaway with two minutes left in the first half.

"She played very well," Baker said. "She came up and met the challenge."

The Lady Warriors made it 2-0 at the 51:41 mark on a goal by Dowdy, her 17th of the year. Dowdy, who fired a shot wide left just moments earlier, connected from 21 yards out with a low shot to the left corner of the

net. Jennifer Splaingard finished up the scoring late in the game with an unassisted goal at 78:39. Splaingard beat two defenders on the play and nearly scored again with 22 seconds left in the contest.

The game featured a number of scoring chances for the Lady Warriors, who outscored their opponents 20-0 last week through three sectional games.

"We're real proud of the girls," Baker said. "(Springfield) is a real good team and we were very happy with the victory. It was a real good team win."

The Lady Warriors outshot the Senators 21-5. The two teams met for the first time since last year's sectional title game at Springfield, a game that propelled the Lady Warriors to the state tournament. Granite City prevailed 4-1 and won in similar fashion Saturday.

"This was one of our better games," Baker said. "We expected (Springfield) to be real good. We knew it would not be an easy game."

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Community calendar

Our event calendar also includes entries for community groups and their normal meeting days. Such groups meet on the first Monday of the month, the first Tuesday of the month, etc. Readers are encouraged to call these groups if holidays or other days pose uncertainty.

Corrections, additions and deletions of information are encouraged, and new entries may be added at anytime by calling the newsroom at 876-3000. This calendar runs in every Wednesday's Journal.

Wednesday, June 1

Pulmonary Support Group, for persons with diagnosed lung condition, 11 a.m. to noon in 4-Doctors Solarium, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 798-3019.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.

Al-Anon, 7:15 p.m., Gateway Foundation, 600 Gibson, Caseyville, 463-2429.

Parents Anonymous Group, meets 6 to 8 p.m. For information on where meeting will be held, call Elaine Landolt, 462-2714.

Stress Management Class, 7 to 8 p.m. at Mental Health Services, 50 Northgate Industrial Drive, Granite City. For people who want to know what causes stress, how it affects their lives, and what they can do about it. For more information call 877-4420. Fees are based on a sliding income scale.

Madison Community Action Group, meets at 7 p.m. For more information call Dan at 452-2336 or Diane at 876-1360.

Thursday, June 2

Mount Zion Baptist Church, 4:30 to 6 p.m. at 2827 Mockingbird Lane. "Meals from the heart," a free meal to those in need. Clothing available. Open to the public.

Singles Connection, Reception and introductory meeting at 7 p.m. at the First Federal Savings and Loan, 300 St. Louis St. in Edwardsville. Call Linda at 656-3364 for more information.

Chouteau Township Senior Citizens, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Social Center, 906 Thorngate Drive, Mitchell.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., Presbyterian Church, Mitchell.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m., Unity Chapel, Stratford and Village lanes, Granite City, 876-8467.

Al-Anon, 9:30 a.m., St. Elizabeth Church quilling room, 2300 Pontoon Road, 463-2429.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., Wellness Center, 2103 Iowa, 463-2429.

Narcotics Anonymous, Seeking recovery, 3 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hotline 398-9409.

Overeaters Anonymous, 7:30 p.m. at First Christian Church, 2415 N. 80th St., Caseyville. For information, call 1 (314) 638-7821.

Friday, June 3

Greater Beneficial Union of Pittsburgh, District 491, Granite City Council, meets at 8 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 4225 Old Alton Road, Granite City. James P. Reagan, president, can be reached at 288-7396; Mary Solomon, secretary, can be reached at 451-9201.

Singles Connection, Social hour held at 8:30 p.m. at Rusty's, 1201 N. Main St., in Edwardsville. Call Sandy at 344-1393 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, noon and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.

STEMMS (Support Together for Emotional and Mental Serenity and Sobriety), A support group for

people with a mental illness and an alcohol or substance abuse problem, meets from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. at Pascal Hall, St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Call 798-3604 for more information.

Saturday, June 4

Polish Pierogi Sale, Sacred Heart of Jesus Church, 830 Reynolds, Madison, 9 a.m. to noon. Seven varieties: cabbage, cheese, kraut, potato, sausage and kraut, plum pudding and laco. Carry-outs only. \$6 per dozen. Cooked and ready to heat and eat. Order ahead by calling 876-5060.

Singles Connection, We will attend the St. Louis Cardinal vs. the San Francisco Giants baseball game. We will meet at 5:15 p.m. at Cottonwood Mall to ride the Red Bird Express. Call Linda at 656-3364 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.

Al-Anon Adult Children, 10 a.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 463-2429.

Narcotics Anonymous, Acceptance, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hotline 398-9409.

Rescue Mission, 1536 Fourth St., Madison, food pantry is open from 9 a.m. to noon. Samuel Turner is the chairman, Valonda Turner is the secretary and Alfred Turner is the pastor.

Sunday, June 5

Senior Social Club, meets at the Granite City Township Hall, doors open at 12:30 p.m., bingo and games start at 2 p.m. Call 877-1215 for more details.

Singles Connection, Miniature golf at 5 p.m., at Family Fun Center, behind Anderson Hospital in Maryville. We will then have dinner at Tony's Restaurant. Call Doris at 877-4506 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 1:30 p.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.

Narcotics Anonymous, Live the steps, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hotline 398-9409.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Pascal Hall, main floor, Granite City, 876-8467.

Moose Lodge Bingo, 1:15 p.m. at the Nameoki Bingo Center.

Overeaters Anonymous, meets at 2 p.m. in the Wiesman Room, first floor, St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City.

Monday, June 6

Disabled American Veterans Chapter 51 Auxiliary, 1417 19th St., Granite City, 876-7816, 8 p.m. Quad City Youth Fellowship Adult Board, 2257 Cleveland, 7 p.m., 931-3480 or 877-4848.

Camera Explorers Club, Hartford Public Library, 143 W. Hawthorne St., 7 p.m., call Beverly Zager, 254-8384.

The Pontoon Beach Jaycees reg-

ular meeting is held at 7:30 p.m. at Ralph and Charlie's Steak House. The meetings are open and the public is invited.

Alcoholics Anonymous, noon and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.

Al-Anon, 9:30 a.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 463-2429.

Neglected Victims of Child Sexual Abuse, a support group for non-offending parents of victims, meets from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville's Rape and Sexual Abuse Care Center. Call 692-2197 for details.

TOPS 204s (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 6 p.m., Melvin Price Support Center in Granite City, 876-2124.

TOPS IL 648, 7 p.m., Anchorage Recreation Center, 2302 Edwards St., Granite City, 452-6102. Men and women welcome.

Walt-Mart Senior Citizens, bingo, 7:30 to 8:30 a.m.

Tuesday, June 7

Diabetes Support Group, 1 to 3 p.m., President's Room, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 798-3019.

Singles Connection, Walleyball at 6:30 p.m. at the YMCA, Esic Drive, Edwardsville. There is a \$3 fee for three hours of play. Call Frank at 876-4315 for more information.

Alliance for the Mentally Ill of Madison County (AMI) meets 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Mental Health Clinic, 60 Industrial Drive, Granite City. For information call 798-3604.

Elkettes, Granite City Lodge 1083, Maryville Road, 931-3557, 7 p.m.

Granite City Unit, Madison County Homemakers Extension Association, noon, Anchorage Recreation Center. For more information call 876-7026 or 931-3735.

Trio Unit, Madison County Homemakers Extension Association, noon, Hope Lutheran Church, 3715 Washburn Ave., Granite City. Pontoon Beach Library Board, Pontoon Beach Village Hall, 3510 Highway 111, 6:30 p.m.

Madison County Legal Secretaries Association, meets at 6:30 p.m. Open to everyone in legal field: attorneys, legal secretaries, support staff, court reporters and court personnel. For more information call 468-4400.

Madison/St. Clair CHADD 465 (attention deficit Parent Support Group) meets 7 p.m. at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Pascal Hall.

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Alcoholics Anonymous, 8:30 a.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.

Alcoholics Anonymous (women only), 8 p.m., Presbyterian Church, Mitchell, 876-8467.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. John United Church, 2301 Nameoki Road, Granite City, 692-8078.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., Niedringhaus United Methodist Church cafeteria, 20th and Delmar, Granite City (babysitter available), 463-2429.

Alateen Program for 12 to 17 age group, meets at 8 p.m. at Niedringhaus United Methodist Church, 20th and Delmar. For more information call 463-2429.

The Circle of Hope, a 12-step healing program for anyone whose life is affected by HIV infection meets at 7 p.m. at the King's House on North 66th Street in Belleville. For more information, call 234-0291.

Granite City Kiwanis meet at Shoney's at 7:30 a.m.

Narcotics Anonymous, Path to recovery, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hotline 398-9409.

School of Metaphysics, 7:30 to 10:30 p.m., 9459 Roslan Place, St. John, Mo. 63114. Classes in applied metaphysics. Call Melanie McManus at 429-0076.

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Level 1 classes in ballroom dance will meet Mondays. They began May 23 and continue through Aug. 8. (No classes will be held on May 30, June 27 and July 4).

Level II classes in ballroom dance will meet on Tuesdays. They began May 24 and will continue through July 25. (No classes will be held on June 28 and July 5).

Level I classes in Imperial Swing will meet on Wednesdays beginning May 25 and continuing through July 27. (No classes will be held on June 29 and July 6).

Classes in country and western dances will meet Thursdays beginning May 26 and continuing through July 28. (No classes will be held on June 30 and July 7).

Auxiliary Juniors plan golf outing

Venice-Madison Unit 307 American Legion Auxiliary Juniors held their meeting May 9 at Post 307 home.

The juniors were to be hostesses for the senior meeting June 6. Tray favors were made of this program.

Plans were made to attend the 22nd District Mayfest, held May 15. Plans were also made for a miniature golf outing in June.

Those present for the meeting were Melissa Allen, Carrie Baker, Jenna Miller, Megan Miller, Cathy Moreland, Kaleigh Peery, Chelsey Peery, Laura Martin and Amber Singleton. Seniors attending were Dorothy Hinson, Cindy Yobby, Rose Moreland and Carla Peery.

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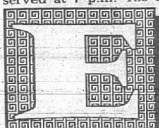
Granite City High School classes of '43 plan reunion Aug. 5

Members of the January and June classes of 1943 of Granite City High School have planned a party for all graduates for the years up to and including 1944.

The "old grad" party will be held Friday, Aug. 5, at Sunset Hills Country Club, Edwardsville. A cash bar social hour beginning at 6 p.m. will be followed by a three meat buffet dinner to be served at 7 p.m. The cost is \$22 per person and

reservations must be made by July 22. Checks should be made out to Old Grad Party and mailed to Donna Hogan, 2 Dublin Drive, Granite City, Ill. 62040.

All interested graduates may contact one of the following for information: Orville Hommert 451-6569, Dee Yates 931-1793, Vera Sage 877-5623, Vey Bagl 877-4112, Betty Thompson 797-0154 and Muriel Kratz 432-4192.



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Prepared Childbirth Classes

This series of four classes provides information about the labor and delivery experience as well as the birthing options available at Memorial Maternity Center. Participants are encouraged to register before the fifth month of pregnancy and attendance is limited to those delivering at Memorial Maternity

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Childbirth Overview Class

This class provides first-time parents with an overview of the birth experience at Memorial Maternity Center. Labor, delivery and rooming-in options will be discussed. This class, limited to those who will deliver at Memorial Maternity Center, is held from 7 to 9 p.m. on the first Wednesday or third Thursday of each month. \$5 per couple fee. Call 233-7750, extension 5855 for exact times and dates.

Childbirth Refresher Class

The Childbirth Refresher Class is designed to give experienced parents updated information about the latest trends in labor, delivery and newborn care. Limited to those who will deliver at Memorial, this class is held from 7 to 9 p.m. on the first Monday of the month. \$5 per couple fee. For more information, call 233-7750, extension 5855.

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Prenatal Breastfeeding Class

This class is designed to provide information to those who are considering breastfeeding their baby. The class meets from 7 to 9 p.m. on Wednesdays of every other month. For more information, call 233-7750, extension 5855.

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Memorial Maternity Center offers a Sibling Class to make it easier for big brother and sisters to prepare for and accept the new baby. This class is designed for children ages 3-through 12 and meets from 7 to 8:30 p.m. on the first Monday of each month. Limited to children whose sibling will be born at Memorial Maternity Center. \$2 per child fee. Class size is limited and reservations are requested. Call 233-7750, extension 5855.

Grandparents Class

This class acquaints grandparents with recent changes in childbirth and infant care practices. It discusses what it means to be a grandparent in today's world - how grandparents can positively support and influence their children and grandchildren. The class meets from 7 to 9 p.m. on the first Monday of every other month beginning in February. Class size is limited and reservations are requested. To register, call 233-7750, extension 5855.

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When A Man Loves A Woman (R) 4:15, 7:00
With Honors (PG-13) 5:15, 7:45
Jurassic Park (PG-13) 4:30, 7:00
3 Ninjas Kick Back (PG) 5:00, 7:15
Beverly Hills Cop 3 (R) 5:00, 7:30

COTTONWOOD EDWARDSVILLE CINEMA

Edwardsville, Ill.
The Paper (R) 7:00, 9:45
Cops & Robbers (PG) 7:15, 9:30
3 Ninjas Kick Back (PG) 6:45, 9:15

KELLER PLAZA 8 CINE

Lemay Ferry & Mehl Ave., 825-4800
The Paper (R) 12:05, 2:30, 5:10, 7:30, 9:25
Maverick (PG) 11:30, 2:15, 5:00, 7:45, 10:15
Maverick (PG) 12:30, 4:30, 7:15, 9:00, 11:25, 7:00, 9:20
3 Ninjas Kick Back (PG) 12:00, 2:20, 4:45, 7:05, 9:15
Schindler's List (R) 12:20, 4:20, 8:00
Naked Gun 3.3 1/2 (PG-13) 1:45, 4:55, 7:25, 9:25
No Escape (R) 1:40, 4:50, 7:10, 9:35

LINCOLN THEATRE

103 E. Main (Belleville), 233-0123
Blank Check (PG) 7:15, 9:15
Major League 2 (PG) 7:00, 9:00
Bad Girls (R) 7:05
Threesome (R) 9:05

LINDBERGH 8

7545 S. Lindbergh, 487-0017
Ace Ventura (PG-13) 4:40, 7:05, 9:15
Philadelphia (PG) 4:30, 7:00, 9:20
Blank Check (PG) 5:15, 7:25, 9:20
Grumpy Old Men (PG-13) 4:35, 7:10, 9:15
Major League 2 (PG) 5:10, 7:35, 9:35
Threesome (R) 9:00, 7:15, 9:40
Guarding Tess (PG-13) 4:50, 7:20, 9:30
Lightning Jack (PG-13) 4:45, 7:30, 9:35

NAMEOKI CINEMA

1600 N. Main (Belleville), 877-8630
Clean Slate (PG) 7:15
White Fang 2 (PG) 7:00

QUAD CINEMA

Belleville, Ill.
Maverick (PG) 4:45, 7:30, 10:00
When A Man Loves A Woman (R) 4:15, 7:00, 9:45
The Crow (R) 6:00, 7:15, 9:30
Beverly Hills Cop 3 (R) 4:30, 7:15, 9:45

RITZ 3 THEATRE

403 E. Main St., Belleville, 233-9536
Major League 2 (PG) 7:00, 9:30
Clifford (PG) 7:15
Bad Girls (R) 7:15
Blank Check (PG) 6:45
Threesome (R) 9:00

ST. CLAIR 10

1000 S. Main, 388-8383
The Flintstones (PG) 1:30, 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30
The Flintstones (PG) 11:50, 1:50, 3:50, 5:50, 8:00, 10:00
Beverly Hills Cop 3 (R) 12:00, 2:20, 4:45, 7:15, 9:45
Beverly Hills Cop 3 (R) 12:30, 2:45, 5:15, 7:45, 10:15
Four Weddings and A Funeral (R) 12:15, 2:40, 5:05, 7:25, 10:05
The Crow (R) 12:20, 2:35, 4:50, 7:05, 9:10
Crooklyn (PG-13) 12:45, 3:00, 5:25, 7:40, 9:55
Maverick (PG) 11:45, 2:20, 5:00, 7:55, 10:30
Maverick (PG) 1:30, 4:15, 7:00, 9:35
With Honors (PG-13) 12:10, 2:10, 4:10, 7:10, 9:15

TIVOLI

6350 Delmar, 725-0220
Philadelphia (PG-13) 7:00
Threesome (R) 7:15, 9:30

UNION STATION 10

Power House Place at Union Station, 822-4900
Beverly Hills Cop 3 (R) 4:30, 7:00, 9:05
Beverly Hills Cop 3 (R) 5:25, 7:45, 9:50
You So Crazy (NR) 5:30, 7:55, 9:45
Crooklyn (PG-13) 4:35, 7:10, 9:25
Crooklyn (PG-13) 5:15, 7:40, 9:55
Maverick (PG) 5:00, 7:35, 10:00
When A Man Loves A Woman (R) 4:45, 7:20, 9:45
The Inkwell (R) 4:40, 7:05, 9:30
The Crow (R) 4:55, 7:25, 9:25
The Flintstones (PG) 4:50, 7:15, 9:10

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Horoscope

Wednesday, June 1
The last quarter of the moon begins today, so it's important to establish closure on all types of projects and communications. Family disputes can be settled and can serve as an example of how kids can handle conflicts through talking — not physical action. Mediate legal matters. Lovers can be calmed this evening — people are in the mood to agree.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Changes must be substantive — not merely superficial. A recent acquisition makes work go smoothly. A spouse or lover showers you with romance this evening. Lost items turn up.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Family members are particularly sentimental today. Stay on top of your work load — once you fall behind, it gets harder and harder to catch up. You find a new way to cut expenses. A spouse or lover reveals a secret.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Constant, unconditional love is more valuable than meaningless romantic gestures — no matter how thrilling they are. Avoid letting a talent go unexplored. Don't dismiss a partner's opinion.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Calculate the full financial implications before giving the go-ahead. A colleague makes a valid criticism. Indulge a lover's taste for creature comforts. You

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find a way around a stumbling block.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). A spouse or relative sheds light on a career-related quandary. Romance blossoms in an unfamiliar environment. Travel plans must be altered this afternoon. Financial concerns involve insurance or real estate.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (June 1). You stabilize your life by agreeing to commitments that turn out to favor you more than others. Bonuses and settlements arrive in late September. An offer in August changes your career direction. A new job in January brings you luck. Scorpio and Taurus bring love and loyalty. Commitments come from current lovers in August or January. Your lucky numbers are 4 and 18.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). A

change of scenery proves to be revitalizing. A separation from a loved one benefits you in an unexpected way. Avoid letting a colleague take advantage of you. Luck involves a loan.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). A spouse or partner cannot read your mind — you'll have to spell it out. Family members sustain you in a difficult moment.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). A lucrative assignment is even more fun than you had hoped. An old flame reappears on the scene today — avoid trying to rekindle the embers. A family member's inquiries stem from concern.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Stick to your resolve in the face of temptation today. Settle your differences with a co-worker.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). The end result of a creative endeavor is less important than the process of creating. Allow a loved one space to make his or her own mistakes.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Concentrate on educational or spiritual goals today. Explain your reasoning to an employer or supervisor.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). You are most effective in a confrontation when you remain calm. Put your best foot forward at introductions and interviews.

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Scout members learn about personal safety

Kathy Dohnal covers the Madison-Venice scene for the Press-Record/Journal. Articles can be sent to 2108 Lynch or she can be contacted at 797-2077.

The following is a recipe submitted by Mary Pogorale for the weekly recipe swap:

Western Skillet Stew
1 lb. lean ground beef
1/2 cup finely crushed tortilla chips
1 cup picante sauce
1/2 cup thinly sliced green onions with tops
1 egg
2 cloves garlic, minced
1 tsp. salt
1 lb. vegetable oil
1 can (28 ounces) whole tomatoes undrained and coarsely chopped
1 can (16 ounces) kidney beans rinsed and drained
1 cup beef broth
1 large green pepper coarsely chopped
1 tsp. chili powder

Combine meat, crushed chips, 1/3 cup sauce, green onions, egg, garlic and salt; mix well. Shape to form one-inch meatballs. Brown half the meatballs in oil until brown on all sides (six to eight minutes). Remove and reserve.

Repeat with remaining meatballs. Drain drippings from skillet. Add tomatoes, beans, broth, green pepper and chili powder with remaining 2/3 cup sauce; bring to a boil, stirring up browned bits from bottom of skillet.

Return meatballs to skillet; reduce heat, cover and simmer 10 minutes. Serve with additional picante sauce. Makes six servings.

Pack 21, Wolf Den 9 of Madison, held its April meeting.

On April 2, the boys worked on Achievement 7, Your Living World. The boys discussed and practiced recycling and ways to clean and protect the environment.

On April 16, the den took part in the Tri-Cities Area Stash the Trash program. The boys picked up litter at two of Madison's city



Kathy Dohnal

parks, the Harris Elementary School grounds and the grounds of the Madison School Board office.

The boys participating were Matt Skoklo, Matt Widel, Andy Gehling and Nathan Griffith.

On April 30, the boys worked on Achievement 9, Be Safe at Home and On the Street. They discussed safety rules, and at home they located the gas and water shut-off valves. They also planned a fire escape route with their families.

Awards presented in April were:

Matt Skoklo, recruiter badge, basketball and skating belt loops;

Matt Widel, basketball and skating belt loops;

Andy Gehling, basketball and soccer belt loops; and Nathan Griffith, basketball and swimming belt loops.

Den 9 leader is Sue Skoklo.

The Old Times Sake group attended a baby shower at the home of Les and Mary Firtos held for Amy Firtos on May 20. The shower was hosted by Mary Firtos and Patti Bulva. Games were played and prizes were awarded.

Lunch was served to Kathy Dohnal, Margaret Donahue, Lindsay Bulva, Betty Buatch, Connie Grupos, Pat Lalich, Pat Scherrills, Bonnie Bulva, Gerry Mendez and Alexis Flak.

Michael Robert Firtos was born on April 14 and weighed 6 pounds, 14 ounces. He was 19 3/4 inches long. Michael and his father, Robert "Bob" Firtos, joined the shower for refreshments.

The group also had lunch on May 19 at the Ninth Street Abbey in the Soudard area. Angela Grupos also joined them on the lunch outing.

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Today's Food

Wednesday, June 1, 1994

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Looking to pick a peck of peppers? Joining the National Hot Pepper Association for \$20 a year entitles you to a quarterly newsletter, membership card and certificate for framing, as well as a packet of pepper starter seeds from the Pepper Gal, an international pepper seed company. To join, send a check to the association at 400 NW 20th Street, Fort Lauderdale, Fla. 33311.

Health & Fitness

Fresh Picks

Color, coolness and convenience are the three C's of appetizing food at patio parties. Fulfill the requirements with stuffed celery. Combine 1/2 cup shredded carrot, 1/4 cup finely chopped red bell pepper, 1 carton (1 cup) nonfat dairy sour cream, 4 ounces neufchatel (light cream) cheese, 3 tablespoons sliced green onion and 1/2 teaspoon leaf basil. Refrigerate, covered, about 2 hours. Fill about 10 ribs celery, cut in 1 1/2-inch lengths.

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Big Fat Tip

Make the new food labels work for you. Look at the cup measures in your kitchen. Become acquainted with how much 1/2 cup, 1/4 cup, 1 cup really is. Then compare the Serving Size on the Nutrition Facts of food packages with the amount you really eat.

Future Shop

Vitamin E, touted as a possible precautionary nutrient against cancer in humans, may prove to be a boon to meat shoppers. In beef products, long-term, low-dosage vitamin E supplements help keep the cherry-red color they prefer and feel most comfortable buying for freshness.



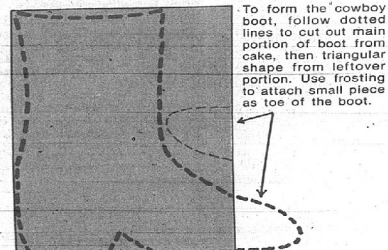
By Janice Denham
Staff writer

Barney may be the buddy of the moment, but little buckaroos never ride into the sunset. It's hard to believe — when they are only 36 inches tall — they may grow up to be heroes in Louis L'Amour novels. Buckaroos may stampede on the patio instead of in the barn, and the hay and sawdust may be imports, but the fun of a well-heeled hoedown should raise the roof for these dandy dudes.

Lasso cowboys and cowgirls to dress resplendently in denim, buckskin, calico, boots, 10-gallon hats and vests. Serve food at a picnic table decked in red gingham. Cover bales of hay for individual seating and eating.

For little cowpokes, keep grub simple. Serve apple juice with the Cowboy Boot Cake after a few games. Chill individual drink cartons in an ice-filled bucket or tub. The event should last no more than an hour or two.

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To form the cowboy boot, follow dotted lines to cut out main portion of boot from cake, then triangular shape from leftover portion. Use frosting to attach small piece as toe of the boot.

Kids' Cuisine

Party Plunder

Kids can rustle up party favors in a bag they decorate themselves.

Transfer this pattern to cardboard, then outline the figure on sandwich bags or bags with handles. Cowpokes decorate them with colorful markers, then use the bag to stash treats they discover on a treasure hunt or divide up their prizes at the Buckaroo Bash.

Young children will enjoy a scavenger hunt in search of colored fruits stashed in the back yard: yellow for a banana, red for an apple, purple for a plum, orange for an orange, etc. Candy used in a hunt should be covered and non-melting.

The bag also would make a handy carrier for a personalized cactus on the way home.



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Living Lean for Adults

By THERESA CHAVEZ

Hug and a quiche appeal on egg-citing wedding day

June blooms with flowers and wedding bells. With family or special friends, the unforgettable day often begins with brunch.

Quiche is a favorite dish for both its elegance and flavor. However, traditional quiche made with fatty cheeses and meats, eggs, cream and shortening-embedded crust — is loaded with fat and cholesterol.

One slice of a typical ham and cheese quiche has 583 calories, a whopping 33 grams fat and 257 milligrams cholesterol.

Fear not! Wedding day brunch still can be celebrated with a hug and a quiche.

To lower calories, fat and cholesterol, replace regular ingredients with their low-fat counterparts — 95 percent fat-free ham, low-fat cheese and skim milk. Yolk-free egg product can replace all or half the eggs in a recipe. Use vegetable oil margarine in place of shortening in the crust and roll it extra thin.

If a special high-fat meat or cheese adds unusual flavor to the recipe, try cutting back on the ingredient by one-third to one-half to reduce calories, fat and cholesterol.

To add flavor, texture and nutrients, try a variety of vegetables, like red or green pepper, mushrooms, pimento,

broccoli, shredded zucchini and summer squash. Thin slices of tomato baked on top add festive flair.

Potato slices form a decorative, nutritious and low-fat crust for this colorful and scrumptious broccoli and cheese quiche. Use this "crust" idea with other casseroles, too.

BROCCOLI-CHEESE QUICHE

- 2 medium potatoes, thinly sliced
- 1 pkg. (10 oz.) frozen chopped broccoli, thawed
- ¾ cup sliced green onion with tops
- 1 jar (2 oz.) sliced pimento
- 4 egg whites
- 1 egg
- ½ cup plain low-fat yogurt
- ¼ cup low-fat milk
- ½ tsp. leaf basil, crushed
- Pinch garlic powder
- ½ cup (2 oz.) grated mozzarella cheese
- 4 tbsp. grated parmesan cheese
- 2 oz. reduced-calorie cream cheese
- Fresh basil for garnish

Preheat oven to 375°. Coat 9-inch, straight-sided, quiche dish with nonstick cooking spray.

In nonstick skillet, steam

potatoes until tender. Arrange over bottom and around side of prepared dish, overlapping to form decorative edge.

Microwave broccoli and onion on high power 2 minutes or until tender. Drain well.

Reserve 1 pimento strip from jar. Drain and chop remaining pimentos.

In medium bowl, combine egg whites, egg, yogurt, milk, basil, garlic powder, chopped pimento, mozzarella cheese and 2 tablespoons parmesan cheese.

Pour egg mixture into dish with potato crust. Sprinkle with remaining parmesan cheese. Dot with cream cheese. Cover edge of potato crust with foil. Bake in preheated oven 10 minutes.

Remove foil. Bake about 15 minutes longer or until knife inserted near center comes out clean. Let stand 10 minutes.

Garnish with reserved pimento and fresh basil.

Makes 6 servings: 196 calories, 8 g fat, 67 mg cholesterol and 266 mg sodium each.

Recipe adapted from "Life's Simple Pleasures" by Karen Mangum.

Registered dietitian Theresa Chavez is a member of the nutrition committee of the St. Louis Chapter of the American Heart Association.

Blue Ribbon Cook

Cool cooking gives chicken a head start

Mary L. Miller, south St. Louis County, is this week's winner of dinner certificates to the Pasta House Company for Herbed Chicken for Salads.

She adapted this recipe from one that called for baking in a conventional oven.

A single entry to the contest should be sent to: Cool Drink Recipe Contest, Suburban Journals, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo. 63131.

One winner each week will be chosen on the basis of taste and eye appeal, as well as originality, although the recipe need

not be original. Double-check directions and specific amounts, giving variations that individualize the recipe.

HERBED CHICKEN FOR SALADS

- 1 lb. boned, skinned, chicken breast
- 1 tbsp. olive oil
- ¼ tsp. garlic powder
- ¼ tsp. pepper
- ¼ tsp. onion salt
- ½ tsp. poultry seasoning

Divide chicken in four portions. Form each into single bundle.

In small microwave-safe dish, mix oil, garlic powder, pepper, onion salt and poultry seasoning. Coat each bundle with oil mixture. Shape into compact roll. Arrange evenly in dish. Cook, covered with waxed paper, on high power 4 minutes.

Turn over meat. Rearrange so inside edges are moved outside. Give dish one-quarter turn. Cook on high power 4 minutes longer.

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Buckaroo

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Making Cowboy Boot Cake is as simple as falling off a horse.

It starts with a cake mix and for moistness replaces oil and part of the eggs with applesauce. The diagram for cutting the boot from the cake — baked in a 9-by-13-inch pan — is inside Today's Food. Decorating is nothing like branding; it is simple as a carton of ready-made icing and a few candies.

If this is a serious party meetin' or the guest list is older, extend the chow list with burgers and hot dogs from the grill, chili or baked beans from an iron pot and corn on the cob. For those who hanker for more Wild West atmosphere on their plate, roll out puff pastry, sprinkle lightly with chili seasoning, cut with western-shaped cookie cutters and bake into "crackers." Sliced cheese can be cut the same

way. If food is served at dusk, wranglers can sit around a campfire to sing "Home on the Range" and toast marshmallows. For fun, older children can stage a holdup, round up the "good guys" and distribute their loot.

Generous in size for about 99 cents each, bandanas come in many colors. They can hold a snack, favor, prize or game pieces. They can be used as napkins, then taken home as souvenirs.

Now that the Desert House at the Missouri Botanical Garden has closed, let wranglers grow cactus at home. Small plants are available at discount and plant stores. Cut out a sheriff's star, write each guest's name on it, "plant" it in the soil and use it as a place marker or gather 'em all to form a border for Cowboy Boot Cake as the centerpiece.

COWBOY BOOT CAKE

- 1 pkg. (2 layers) chocolate or devil's food cake mix
- 1 ½ cups applesauce
- 1 egg
- 1 carton (16 oz.) chocolate frosting
- Licorice or strawberry candy rope
- Silver candy

Preheat oven to 350°. Grease and flour 13-by-9-inch baking pan.

In mixer bowl, using electric mixer at low speed, blend cake mix, applesauce and egg until moistened. Beat at medium speed 2 minutes.

Pour batter into prepared pan. Bake in preheated oven 35 to 40 minutes until wooden pick inserted near center comes out clean. Cool on rack.

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Today's Food

Wise Ways

By CAROL SCHLITT

Slim attitudes request cheese, please

Today's push for low-fat, low-cholesterol, low-calorie foods has brought real changes to the dairy case at the supermarket. Low-fat cheeses and yogurts occupy more shelf space than ever before, responding to consumers' demands for wide choices in dairy foods with less fat.

Lower-fat dairy products can be used as ingredients in many recipes, although they cook and melt differently than full-fat cheeses.

Suggestions from the American Dairy Association of Illinois offer advice for using low-fat products:

• When cooking with low-fat cheese, add a few shreds of mozzarella if a "stringy" characteristic is desired, like in pizza. Low-fat cheeses tend to clump, rather than string, when melted.

• When possible, add low-fat or nonfat yogurt to cooked food after removing it from the heat. This helps keep the yogurt from separating.

• Undiluted canned evaporated skim milk adds creamy texture to soups and sauces. With heavier "body" than

skim milk from the carton, it gives thicker, richer flavor.

One trick I use when preparing dips with nonfat or low-fat yogurt is to start by draining off all the liquid. My family likes dips but used to complain about the "watery" taste of the yogurt. Draining the liquid from the yogurt results in a thick, cream-cheese consistency — and, amazingly, the undesirable flavor disappears.

Yogurt cheese is easy to make. Start with 32 ounces plain nonfat or low-fat yogurt made without stabilizers or gelatin. Line a strainer with coffee filter or double-layer of cheesecloth. Place the strainer over a bowl. Lay the yogurt on top of the filter and cover it all with plastic wrap. Refrigerate eight to 24 hours until the liquid has drained into the bowl and the yogurt is thick and spreadable. A 32-ounce container of yogurt yields about 1½ cups solid yogurt cheese.

The amount of liquid that drains off is plentiful. The resulting yogurt cheese can be used in favorite recipes to substitute for cream cheese

or top baked potatoes or tacos. Mixed with jam, it makes a low-fat spread similar to flavored cream cheese. Here is my favorite dip recipe featuring the drained, yogurt.

VEGETABLE DIP

- 1 cup low-fat salad dressing
- 1 cup drained nonfat yogurt
- 1½ tbsp. grated onion
- 1 tbsp. chopped fresh parsley
- 2 tsp. dill weed
- 2 tsp. Beau Monde seasoning

Blend salad dressing, yogurt, onion, parsley, dill and Beau Monde. Chill. Serve with raw vegetables or low-fat crackers.

Home economist Carol C. Schlitt is nutrition and wellness educator at the Edwardsville Extension Center for the Illinois Cooperative Extension Service.

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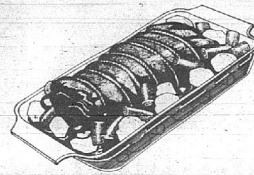
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Micro Raves

By JUDY EDDY

Try dairy recipes with skim milk

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Though early experiments to perfect shelf-stable milk were begun in France in 1810, evaporated milk as known today was developed close to home — in Highland, Ill. — in 1885.

Modern evaporated milk is produced by pasteurizing whole or skim milk, then reducing it to half its original volume by evaporating a portion of its natural water content. Used undiluted, it has twice the protein, calcium and mineral content of fresh milk.

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Because the milk has been sterilized during the sealing process, it does not require scalding when used in yeast recipes. It is not necessary to store evaporated milk in a special container after it has been opened. It can be refrigerated in the original can up to one week.

Evaporated milk is available in two standard-size cans. The large can of evaporated milk contains 1 1/2 cups milk, while the small can holds 3/4 cup.

The practicality of shelf-ready evaporated milk makes it a perfect companion to use in a microwave oven. Delightful treats can be put together for the table in a snap.

To top fresh vegetables from the garden or market, combine 1 cup (4 ounces) shredded cheese, 1 cup evaporated skim milk, 1/8 teaspoon dry mustard and 1/4 teaspoon garlic salt in a microwave-safe bowl. Microwave on high power 1 to 2 minutes until cheese is melted and sauce is smooth for an almost-instant sauce.

Micro-waved Broccoli Quiche contains the flavors and goodness of the rich dish with far less fat. Evaporated skim milk substitutes for half-and-half and the crust is omitted entirely.

BROCCOLI QUICHE

- 1 lb. fresh broccoli, finely chopped
- 1/4 cup minced onion
- 1/2 cup evaporated skim milk
- 4 eggs
- 1 cup (4 oz.) shredded Swiss cheese
- 1 cup (4 oz.) shredded cheddar cheese
- Pinch pepper
- 1/4 tsp. garlic powder

In 9-inch microwave-safe casserole, cover broccoli and onion with plastic wrap. Microwave on high power 5 minutes. Set aside, still covered.

Heat milk 1 minute or until steaming. This keeps eggs from overcooking — as they might if heated with a cold liquid — so the quiche is tender and light.

Whisk together milk and eggs. Stir in Swiss and cheddar.

dar cheese, pepper and garlic powder. Pour over vegetables. Stir gently to combine. Elevate casserole on microwave rack or inverted

plate to ensure even cooking. Microwave on medium (50 percent) power 12 to 14 minutes until firm, rotating dish twice. Let stand 10 minutes

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Home economist Judy Eddy specializes in microwave cooking.

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Granola-style 100% Natural Cereal with oats, honey and raisins from Schnuck Markets Inc. proved a winner in this week's Private Label Test Run.

Working their way with

positive comments through its taste, several *Journal* tasters proclaimed it "exceptionally reasonable," "a real bargain" and "reasonably priced" at \$1.89 per one-pound package.

In fact, it lined up some new fans.

"No one at my home eats this (kind of) cereal. Corn and wheat flake cereals are the norm at my home. But I

would consider eating this cereal," one taster said.

Another who eats traditional cold oat and wheat flake cereals said, "I intend to buy some — definitely."

Testers agreed the cereal was filling and easy to eat.

One tester — who prefers extra-sweet cereal without raisins — still thought the raisins in the Schnuck brand were soft enough for him,

with plenty of crunch from the rest of the ingredients.

If he were to buy it, he called it a "bargain" — he

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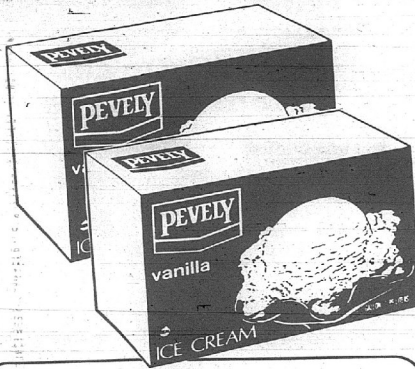
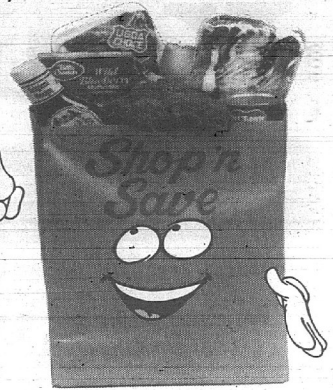
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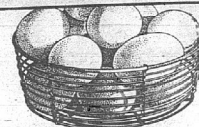
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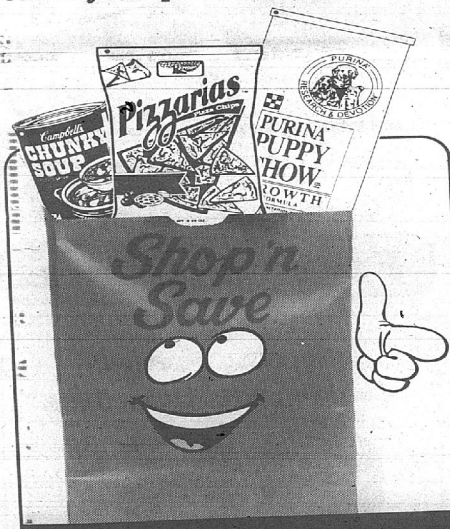
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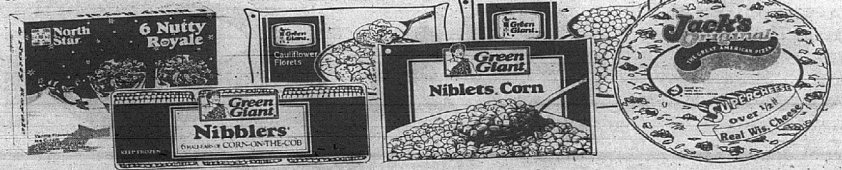
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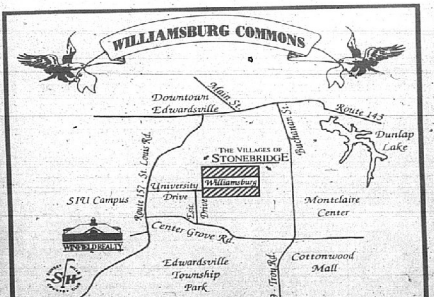
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Church's children celebrate reaching goal

Lucille Martin covers the Pontoon Beach scene for the Press-Record/Journal. She can be contacted at 931-0731.

Pontoon Baptist Children's Church celebrated the attainment of a long-sought goal last week with a trip to Cahokia Mounds. The children have succeeded in giving more than \$500 to the church's Give to Grow fund, which helps defray the costs of the construction of the present facility at 4000 Highway 111 in Pontoon Beach.

Twenty children in preschool through fourth grade were accompanied by their leader, Lyn Hart, and their pastor, Ed Hart, along with Dee Owen, Pauline Buckeck, Clint Potter, Len Mercer and Debbie Staydhar, to the mounds, where a good time of fun and fellowship was shared by all.

The Jubilation Handbell, a group of the Union United Methodist Church of Belleville, presented the entertainment at the monthly meeting of the Pontoon



Lucille Martin

Seniors Group held on May 17. The 50/50 drawing winners were Mabel Kennerly, Helen Cholewick and Clara Winters.

Others in attendance were Mary Hasselbrook, Dora Serini, Frances Harper, Bill and Ruth Dagon, Earl and Rose Edmiston, Chalice Grigsby, Leo Anderson, Otto and Corrine Kreher, Everett and Alicia Hudson, Stanley and Loretta Gollab, Lee and Betty Ridgeway, Vera Bolton, Glenn and Robbie Wilson, Jean Hornstiney, Jim Hill, Walt Cromwell and Irene Karschick.

The Buncu Club met Wednesday evening in the home of Terri Hecht. Attending were a guest, Crissy Fingerhut, and members,

Karen Lemler, Vina Nelson, Linda Arnold, Debbie Vincent, Doris Wilson, Peggy Milton, Sally Kirksey, Edna Bennett and Robbie Wilson.

Robbie Wilson was honored guest at a 60th birthday party in the home of Bob and Debbie Vincent on Saturday. The party was hosted by her children and their families, Bob and Debbie Vincent and children, Bobbie and Autumn; Glen and Bev Wilson and Alex and Gregg; and Kathy Feldt and Steven, Kimberly and Tommy; John and Cindy Noughton; and Dan and Sandy Wilson and children, Chadman, Natalie, Cassandra and Daniel.

Others attending were Stan and Alice Lucas, Jim and Diane Hill, Walt and Joan Crowell, Shirley Parker, Jackie Parker, Marvin and Bonnie Donaldson, Gary and Carlene Whitehead and children, Lonnie and Melody Mettis; John and Vickie Royce; Bob Barthelmy; and Laura Kostick.

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Births

Charles Bucks

Richard and Holly Bucks of Madison have announced the birth of a son.

Charles Thomas "Ray" was born at 11:07 p.m. May 11, 1994, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center and weighed 7 pounds, 3 ounces.

The mother is the former Holly Messmore.

Maternal grandparents are John and Barbara Messmore of Madison.

Paternal grandparents are Richard and Patricia Bucks of Granite City.

Charles joins Curtis Marlang Messmore, 2.

Ashley Smith

Gregory L. and Jennifer Smith of Edwardsville have announced the birth of their first child, a daughter.

Ashley Pauline was born at 4:41 p.m. May 11, 1994, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center and weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces.

The mother is the former Jennifer Acosta.

Maternal grandparents are Mike Acosta and Phyllis Acosta, both of El Paso, Texas.

Paternal grandparents are Harold and Sharon Smith of West Plains, Mo., formerly of Granite City.

Robert Weible

Kenneth and Judith Weible of Granite City have announced the birth of their second child, a son.

Robert Anthony was born at 4:09 p.m. March 40, 1994, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center and weighed 7 pounds.

The mother is the former Judith Tudor.

Maternal grandmother is Carol Morgan of Springfield, Ill.

Paternal grandparents are Carol (Easter) Weible of Collinsville and Darrell Weible of Collinsville.

Robert joins Debra, 4.

Dylan Lewis

Steven A. and Tammy L. Lewis of Granite City have announced the birth of a son.

Dylan Shane was born at 12:39 p.m. May 4, 1994, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center and weighed 4 pounds, 16 ounces.

The mother is the former Tammy Coulter.

Maternal grandparent are Ronald and Sharon Gregory of Granite City.

Paternal grandparents are James Lewis of Trenton and JoAnn Thorton of Granite City.

Dylan joins Justin Shrum, 11.

Desiree Meyer

Diane Meyer of Granite City has announced the birth of her second child, a daughter.

Desiree Cherree was born at 9:47 a.m. March 21, 1994, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville. She weighed 7 pounds, 1 ounce and joins Scott, 9. Her mother is the former Diane Barock.

Christina Jarrett of Granite City has announced the birth of her first child, a daughter.

Cheyenne Paige was born at 12:30 p.m. April 22, 1994, at Anderson Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 7 ounces.

Legion Auxiliary holds annual lunch

The annual luncheon meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary 22nd District past directors and past presidents was held May 14 at the Our Lady of the Snows restaurant.

Betty Wellman of Columbia was the chairman for the day.

Reports of members not present, several in nursing homes, were given.

Officers were elected as follows: Sharon Hydon of Livingston, president; Jane Madrusic of Venice-Madison, vice president; and Adaline Drury of Alton, secretary and treasurer.

Following the meeting a game was played.

Dorothy Hinson and Norma Hillmer, both of Venice-Madison, also attended.

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